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Births.

BLUNDELL.—August 26, at her residence, Roslin, Victoria-square, Summer Hill, the wife of Thomas Blundell, of a daughter.

EDWARDS.—August 21, at her residence, Glanure, Henry-street, Ashfield, the wife of James G. Edwards, of a son.

HECKSCHER.—September 1, at her residence, Barmbeck, Fleet-street, Summer Hill, the wife of Edmund Heckscher, of a son.

MARSHALL.—August 29, at her residence, 133, Elizabeth-street, the wife of Cornelius C. Marshall, of a daughter.

M'GUIRE.—September 2, at her residence, Arthur-street, Balmain, the wife of Andrew M'Guire, of a son.

M'LEAN.—August 28, at Enmore, the wife of F. E. M'Lean, of a daughter.

MORTON.—At Agnesville, Helena-street, Auburn, the wife of W. H. Morton, of a son, prematurely.

THOMSON.—August 20, at Carabella-street, Milson's Point, the wife of N. M. Thomson, of a daughter.

TUCKER.—September 1, at Plympton, Beecroft, the wife of Charles Churchill Tucker, of a daughter.

Marriages.

DYER—THOMSON.—September 3, at Ashfield, by the Rev. John Auld, M.A., moderator of the General Assembly, Alfred Joseph Dyer, Miama, to Mary Catherine, second eldest daughter of Thomas Thomson, Liverpool-road, Ashfield.

GREEN—WHEELER.—August 30, 1888, at the Parish Church of St. Peters', Cook's River-road, by the Rev. J. N. Manning, M.A., LL.B., Charles G., eldest son of Mr. Thomas Green, Mitchell-road, Alexandria, to Alice Matilda, second daughter of Mr. H. T. Wheeler, Peat's Ferry-road, Hornsby Junction.

MOORHOUSE—ALEXANDER.—August 22, at the residence of the bride's parents, Frederick Moorhouse, architect, of this city, fourth son of Eli Moorhouse, woollen manufacturer, Huddersfield, Yorkshire, to Florence, second daughter of A. E. Alexander, Double Bay. No cards.

O'NEILL—BOURKE.—August 25, 1888, at St. Charles' Roman Catholic Church, Waverley, by the Rev. Father Kennedy, O.S.F., John O'Neill, of Clonerkin, Co. Wicklow, Ireland, to Lizzie, third daughter of John Bourke, Clonerkin, Co. Wicklow, Ireland.

Deaths.

PURSER.—September 2, at his son's residence, Glenview, Castle Hill, Edward Purser, in his 86th year, a native of Seven Oaks, county Kent, England. Late of H.M. 4th Regiment.

RUSSELL.—September 3, at his parents' residence, 188, Belleview-terrace, Cumberland-street, James, beloved son of John and Annie Russell, of pleurisy, aged 6 years and 4 months.

RUTLEDGE.—August 31, at Farnham Park, Eliza, relict of the late William Rutledge, of Farnham, Warrnambool.

TATE.—September 3, Elsie May, second daughter of Edward and Marion Tate, late of Jamberoo, aged 5 months.

In Memoriam.

CHOVILLE.—In loving remembrance of my dear wife, Charlotte, who departed this life on 4th September, 1885. Dead, but not forgotten.

GREEN.—In affectionate remembrance of our dear brother, Richard Green, who died September 2, 1885. Lost, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving sisters, E. Christey and M. A. Miller.

Shipping.

UNION STEAM SHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND, Limited.
SAN FRANCISCO ROYAL MAIL SERVICE.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND, VIA SAN FRANCISCO AND NEW YORK, CALLING AT AUCKLAND AND HONOLULU.
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R.M.S. ZEALANDIA, for SAN FRANCISCO and HONOLULU.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

Cargo will be received at the Circular Quay up to noon THIS DAY, Tuesday.
No cargo will be received without a shipping order, which can be procured from the undersigned.
Shippers are requested to lodge their bills of lading for signature not later than 3 p.m. THIS DAY, Tuesday.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, Agent.

R.M.S. ZEALANDIA, for SAN FRANCISCO, via AUCKLAND and HONOLULU.

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UNION STEAM SHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND, Limited.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION TO ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

FROM SYDNEY:
WAIHORA, 2003 tons, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, September 4, at 4 p.m., for Wellington, Lyttelton, and Dunedin.
TARAWERA, 2003 tons, THURSDAY, September 13, for Auckland, Gisborne, Napier, Wellington, Lyttelton, Port Chalmers, Bluff, and Melbourne. Passengers and cargo for Russell are transhipped at Auckland.

FROM MELBOURNE:
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Tourists' Handbooks and Pocket Guides, for information and guidance of passengers, may be had on application at Company's Offices, New Zealand Wharf, Margaret and Sussex streets.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, Manager.

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The Company's Royal Mail Steamships (under contract with the Imperial, New South Wales, Victorian, and South Australian Governments) will be despatched from their Wharf, Circular Quay, as under, for LONDON, calling at Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Colombo, Aden, Brindisi, Malta, Gibraltar, and Plymouth:—

Steamer.	Tons.	Commander.	Leave Sydney noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide.
Carthage ...	5013	E. G. Stead	... Sept. 17	Sept. 21	Sept. 24
Coromandel	4500	G. Reeves	... Oct. 1	Oct. 5	Oct. 8
Rosetta ...	3525	G. W. Brady	... Oct. 15	Oct. 19	Oct. 22
Valetta ...	4319	J. Orman	... Oct. 29	Nov. 2	Nov. 5

and thenceforth every alternate week.
RESERVED CABINS ON MODERATE TERMS.
SALOON PASSENGERS MAY BREAK THE JOURNEY.
The arrangements for SECOND SALOON PASSENGERS have been thoroughly reorganised, the accommodation now provided is unsurpassed.
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RETURN TICKETS, £54 TO £115.
Apply as above.

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FOR THE NOVEMBER WOOL SALES.

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F. JOHNSTON Commander,
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LUSITANIA ...	3825 tons	A. Tillett ...	September 8
OROYA ...	6184 "	R. Studdert ...	September 22
ORIZABA ...	6184 "	G. N. Conlan ...	October 6
LIGURIA ...	4688 "	G. F. Dixon ...	October 20

And fortnightly thereafter.
SALOON PASSENGERS allowed to break their journey.
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Steamer.	Commander.	Leave Sydney at 11 a.m.	Leave Melbourne, 4 p.m.
SYDNEY	... Fiaschi ...	... September 25 ...	September 28
SALAZIE	... Bulard ...	... Oct. 25 ...	.. October 28
YARRA	... Poydenot	.. Nov. 25 ...	.. November 28

And thenceforth on the 25th of each month.
Rates of passage money to Marseilles from £20 to £65, including table wines and Suez Canal dues on passengers.
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Available 9 months ...	£105	£64	£34
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Passengers are carried according to the requirements of the English Passenger Acts of 1855 and 1863.

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taking passengers for London,
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Steamer.	Commander	Leave Sydney noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Adelaide, Semaphore.
Hohenzollern	A. Meier	Sept. 12	Sept. 15	Sept. 17
Hohenstaufen	F. Kessler	Oct. 12	Oct. 15	Oct. 17
Nürnberg ...	H. Engelbart ...	Nov. 9	Nov. 12	Nov. 14

And thereafter every four weeks.
Passage from Sydney to Southampton and Antwerp, £14 to £65; to Bremen, £14 to £67 10s.
Special Return Tickets to Europe.
Reduced Passage Rates to Colombo, China, and Japan.

Through Tickets in the First and Second Classes at reduced rates to the principal cities of Germany, via Brindisi or Genoa.
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will be despatched from the Company's Pier, A. S. N. Wharf,
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(if practicable).
Taking Cargo and Passengers.

Cargo received until 2 p.m. to-morrow.
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The magnificent steel twin screw steamship
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4225 tons register, 3600 h.p., 100 A1 at Lloyd's,
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will be despatched from Sydney,
FOR THE NOVEMBER WOOL SALES,
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THIS COMPANY offers to intending passengers and shippers the quickest and most comfortable means of reaching Melbourne, Adelaide, and Port Pirie.

THE EXPRESS STEAMERS
of this Company leave Sydney every SATURDAY:—
From the Company's Wharf, Lime-street, off Erskine-street.

S.S. SOUTH AUSTRALIAN...	SATURDAY, Sept. 8	at 1 p.m.
S.S. ADELAIDE	SATURDAY, Sept. 15	at 1 p.m.

The above steamers have splendid saloon accommodation, and make the PASSAGE to MELBOURNE in 12 HOURS less than any OTHER STEAMERS on the coast, and deliver cargo at Port Adelaide in 48 hours' less time than any other steamer running to South Australia.
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GOODS can be booked by these steamers through to Port Pirie, and forwarded thence by rail by the Company's Agent, if so instructed, or by shipper's own agents.
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STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

ELINGAMITE...	SATURDAY, September 8...	at 12 noon
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The powerful steel Steamship
ELINGAMITE, 4000 tons, PERCY W. BULL, Commander, leaves Huddart Parker's Wharf, foot of Margaret-street,
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SPECIAL EXHIBITION FARES: Saloon, single, £2 5s; Saloon, return, £3 15s; Fore cabin, £1 5s.
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FRIDAY, September 7 ...	COOMONDERRY ...	at 9 p.m.
MONDAY, September 10 ...	MEEINDERRY ...	at 9 p.m.

Taking cargo for all Shoalhaven ports on Mondays and Fridays, and Broughton Creek only on Thursdays.
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FOR THE NOVEMBER WOOL SALES.

The powerful steamship
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The splendid full-powered Steamship
PORT PIRIE,
J. DULLING, Commander,
will be despatched on the
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THIS STEAMER HAS SPLENDID ACCOMMODATION FOR SALOON PASSENGERS.
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1313 tons nett,
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will be despatched as above on or about 20th SEPTEMBER, to be followed by the
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G. ROY, Commander,
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Steamer.	Commander.	Leaves Sydney.	Leaves Brisbane.
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JUMNA ...	... W. A. Burkitt		Oct. 30
DACCA ...	... Jas. Stone ...		Nov. 27

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SECOND SALOON, £36. STEERAGE, £18, when inducement offers.
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Swift Mail and Passenger Steamers sail as under from A. U. S. N. Company's Wharf, Sussex and Margaret streets:—

Port	Steamer	Date
MELBOURNE Wharf direct	Barcoo	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
	Birksgate	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
BRISBANE ...	Cintra	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
Ditto	Glanworth	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Sept. 5
Ditto	Fitzroy ...	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
Ditto	Rockton ...	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 8
Ditto	Barcoo ...	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 11
Ditto	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 12
MARYBOROUGH, Tuesday's and Sat'day's steamers change at Brisbane	Cintra ...	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
	Rockton	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 8
	Barcoo	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 11
BUNDABERG	Glanworth	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Sept. 5
GLADSTONE	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 12
ROCKHAMPTON, Tuesday's and Sat'day's steamers change at Keppel Bay ...	Cintra ...	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
	Glanworth	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Sept. 5
	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 7
	Rockton	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 8
	Barcoo	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 11
	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 12
BOWEN	Cintra ...	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
PORT MACKAY (Flat Top), TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS and COOKTOWN, Wednesday's steamers change at Brisbane	Cintra	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
	Glanworth	To-morrow, 5 p.m., Sept. 5
	Rockton	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 8
	Barcoo	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 11
	Eurimbla	Wed'day, 5 p.m., Sept. 12
	Birksgate	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 15
DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (change at Cleveland Bay)	Cintra	This Day, 5 p.m., Sept. 4
	Rockton	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 8
THURSDAY ISL'D, NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields), BURKETOWN (change at Normanton) ...	Rockton	Saturday, 1 p.m., Sept. 8
NOUMEA ..., SUVA, Fiji ..., LEVUKA, Fiji ...	Tenterden	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 12
ANEITYUM, HAVANNAH H'BR	Gunga	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Sept. 26
ADELAIDE ..	By early steamer	

Fore-cabin passengers are provided with food and bedding.
Return saloon tickets are available for six months.
Passengers' tickets issued by ship's officers charged 5s extra.
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The magnificent swift Mail and Passenger Steamer
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will sail from the A. U. S. N. Company's Wharf, Sussex and Margaret streets,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 5 p.m.
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The Cintra having received a thorough overhaul, and undergone extensive alterations in her saloon, for the comfort and convenience of passengers, is now the finest steamer trading on the Australian coast.
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DATES OF SAILING.
From Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street, for HOBART, via EDEN, S.S. OONAH, 1700 tons register, THIS DAY, September 4, at 1 p.m.
LAUNCESTON, via EDEN, S.S. CORINNA, 1280 tons register, THURSDAY, 6th September, at 10 a.m.
Return Tickets are available for Six Months.
TO AND FROM HOBART,
Saloon, Return, £8. Single, £5.
Steerage, Return, £3 5s. Single, £3.
LAUNCESTON,
Saloon, Return, £7. Single, £4.
Steerage, Return, £4 10s. Single, £2 10s.
No cargo received within an hour of sailing.
For full particulars apply to
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ILLAWARRA S. N. COMPANY.

WOLLONGONG—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Saturday, noon (pass. only).
KIAMA—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.
SHOALHAVEN—Tuesday, Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA—Wednesday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m., cargo 8 a.m.
CLYDE, BATEMAN'S BAY—Thursday, 10 a.m.
MORUYA—Thursday, 10 a.m.
MERIMBULA—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.
TATHRA (for BEGA)—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.
EDEN—Wednesday, Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.
BERMAGUI—Wednesday, Saturday, noon (passengers).

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS BY I. S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.
Shippers are respectfully informed that, in consequence of great delay to passengers, NO CARGO will be received within ONE hour of sailing.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. TOMKI, THIS NIGHT, at 9.
S.S. ELECTRA, SATURDAY NIGHT, at 9.
Superior accommodation. Inspection invited.
Goods for Glen Innes, Fairfield, and Tenterfield forwarded free of agency charges without any delay.
Richmond River passengers landed at Lawrence and Harwood.
RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
C. and R. R. S. N. Company,
Clarence Wharf, 3, Sussex-street North.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. CORAKI, THURSDAY MORNING, at 11.
Shippers are requested to send cargo down early.
Goods for Fairfield may be shipped via Casino.
RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
C. and R. R. S. N. Company.

MACLEAY RIVER.

S.S. WOODBURN EARLY.
RICHARD COOKE, Secretary.
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WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS' (Limited), Line of Magnificent Fast Steel Steamships.

SPECIAL REDUCED RATES TO QUEENSLAND PORTS.

For MELBOURNE (also see separate advertisement).

THIS DAY, Sept. 4, 4 p.m. ...	RODONDO ...	W. Seymour
FRIDAY, Sept. 7, 12 noon ...	*AGE ...	L. Tindal
FRIDAY, Sept. 7, 5 p.m. ...	BARRABOOL...	T. Richards'n
TUESDAY, Sept. 11, 4 p.m. ...	BURWAH ...	W. Ellis

For ADELAIDE, via Melbourne.
THURSDAY, Sept. 13, 12 noon | GAMBIER ... | R. Brown
The steamers of this service are the largest engaged in the Adelaide trade.
Passengers by through steamers for Adelaide are maintained on board while in Melbourne.
FOR BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON (without transhipment, also see separate advertisement).

TO-MORROW, Sept. 5, 4 p.m....	KONOOWA'RA	G. Smith
SATURDAY, Sept. 8, 1 p.m. ...	LEURA	F. Stanford
TUESDAY, Sept. 11, 4 p.m. ...	RODONDO ...	W. Seymour

FOR MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, Cairns, Bundaberg, Dungeness, Cardwell, Mourilyan Harbour, Geraldton, Russell River, Plantation Creek (also see separate advertisement).

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*Cargo only.
All passengers' tickets issued on board steamers by ships' officers will be charged 5s in excess of the ordinary rate.
RETURN TICKETS are available for SIX months.
Special arrangements for large lines of freight.
WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Ltd.
Wharves—Foot of King-st. Offices—79, York-street.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

EXCURSION STEAMERS FROM SYDNEY.

SALOON, RETURN, £3 15s, AVAILABLE SIX MONTHS.

The undersigned despatch Steamers for Melbourne three times weekly, on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and FRIDAYS, at low Excursion Fares, as above.
Next Steamers:
RODONDO, 4 p.m., TO-DAY.
BARRABOOL, 5 p.m. FRIDAY.
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STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

The fast and favourite
S.S. RODONDO, 1500 tons, W. S. Seymour, commander,
will leave THIS DAY, at 4 p.m.
The RODONDO takes passengers right up to the town wharf, without the delay of transhipping at Sandridge.
The RODONDO has just completed an EXTENSIVE OVERHAUL at Mort's Dock, and her COMPORTABLE and AIRY CABINS are in the best order. SMOKING-ROOM, MUSIC-ROOM, and fine PROMENADE DECK. Special attention is paid to the TABLE and personal comfort of travellers.

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STEAM TO BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, AND ROCKHAMPTON.

DIRECT WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT.

The Fast and Favourite
S.S. KONOOWARRA, 1500 tons (G. Smith),
will leave TO-MORROW, Wednesday, 4 p.m.
The SALOON is AMIDSHIPS, REDUCING the RISK of SEA-SICKNESS to a MINIMUM.
The STATE ROOMS are the LARGEST of any Passenger Ship on the COAST.
WM. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Limited.
Wharves—Foot of King-street. Offices—79, York-street.

NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, and RAYMOND TERRACE.—Hunter River New S. N. Co.'s Steamers.
From Wharf, foot of Market-street.
THIS NIGHT, Tuesday, at 11.30, the NAMOI.
TO-MORROW, Wednesday (taking cargo only), the LUBRA.
Goods will not be received after 4 p.m. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. For particulars apply at the Central Booking Office, 335, George-street, or at office, 147, Sussex-street.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Limited.
From Lime-street, foot of Erskine-street, to Newcastle, Morpeth, and Raymond Terrace.
THIS (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 11.30, the SYDNEY.
TO-MORROW (Wednesday) NIGHT, at 11.30, the NEWCASTLE.
No cargo received after 4 p.m. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. For particulars apply at offices, York-street, next Opera House, and Lime-street. H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

RICHMOND RIVER.

S.S. BELLINGER,
FRIDAY NEXT, at 7 p.m.

B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

FAIRFIELD GOLDFIELDS.
S.S. BELLINGER, FRIDAY NEXT, at 7 p.m.
Cargo booked via Casino for Drake, Red Rock, White Rock, Tabulam, &c. B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

STEAM to CAPE HAWKE.—S.S. EMMA PYERS,
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 4 p.m.
Passengers and cargo now booked.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

S. N. CO.'S S.S. PETERBOROUGH for SHELLHARBOUR and GERRINGONG direct, TO-NIGHT, at 11, from Caledonian Wharf. No cargo received after 5.
JNO. RITCHIE, Agent.

JOHN SEE and CO.'S LINE OF STEAMERS leave Market Wharf, Market-street, for
MANNING RIVER, S.S. ROSEDALE, THURSDAY NEXT.
PORT MACQUARIE, S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY NEXT, 9 p.m.
BELLINGER RIVER, S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY NEXT, 9 p.m.
NAMBUCCA RIVER, S.S. FERNMOUNT, EARLY.
Cargo received daily up to within an hour of sailing.

GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.

S.S. AUSTRALIAN, THIS NIGHT, at 9.
S.S. HELEN NICOLL, SATURDAY NIGHT, at 9.
from Market Wharf, foot of Market-street.
The saloons of these steamers are amidships, and afford superior accommodation for passengers. Passengers landed at Harwood and Lawrence. Goods are conveyed for Glen Innes, Fairfield, Emmaville, Inverell, and Tenterfield free of agency or wharfage fees.
JOHN SEE and CO., 129, Sussex-street.

HAWKESBURY STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited.
S.S. HAWKESBURY leaves Victoria Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, on WEDNESDAY, at 8 a.m., taking Passengers and Cargo for all parts of the River. Cargo received up to 6 p.m. on TUESDAY. This steamer calls at Peat's Ferry for passengers leaving Sydney by the 9.40 a.m. train. For further particulars apply at Office, 99, Sussex-street.

GOSFORD AND NEWCASTLE,
BY TRAIN AND STEAMER.
S.S. GOSFORD and CHARLES FENWICK DAILY.
From King-street Wharf, 8.30 a.m.; No. 4 Jetty, 9 a.m.
From Gosford, 2 p.m. Fares—4s single, 6s return.
SUNDAY EXCURSIONS from King-st. Wharf, 9 a.m., via Darling-st.; No. 4 Jetty, 9.30 a.m. Return 5s, available day of issue.
Goods received at King-st. Whf. ONLY. Freight payable in Syd.

MANLY BEACH,
the most beautiful watering-place near Sydney.

Saloon Steamers BRIGHTON, FAIRLIGHT, and NARRABEEN (weather permitting, and as far as practicable)
LEAVE SYDNEY 7.15, *8, 9, 10.30, 11.30, 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.15, 7.30, 9, 11.15.
LEAVING MANLY 7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 10, 12, 12.30, 2, 3, 4.30, 5.15, 6, 7, 8, 10.
*Mondays only.

Special Time-table for Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.
Reduced Fares—Return Ticket, 1s; children, 6d.
Freight received from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., holidays excepted.
Loose hay and straw cannot be shipped.

MANLY BEACH. MANLY BEACH.
6d. FROM No. 2 JETTY. 6d.
DURING THE PRESENT WEEK.

The steamer ADMIRAL or INFLEXIBLE (weather permitting), leaves 7.15, 10.30, 12.30, 2.30, 4.5, 5.30.
Manly—8.15, 11.45, 1.15, 3.15, 4.45, 6.5.
Return fare, 6d.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMER FERRY.

HOURLY, from LIME-STREET WHARF,
calling at
Atlas Works, Greenwich, and Woolwich.

Cargo Boat daily from Lime-street, at 1 p.m.

PARRAMATTA RIVER AND HUNTER'S HILL STEAMERS LEAVE KING-STREET DAILY for ALL WHARVES: TO
PARRAMATTA—6, 7, 9, 11 12 (Sat. 12.15), 1, (Sat. 1.15), 3, 5.5.
HUNTER'S HILL, &c.—6, 7, 7.45, 9, 9.30, 11 a.m., 12, 1 (Sat. 12.15, 1.15), 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.
Steamers leave No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., calling at all wharves.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR, DAILY (Landing at Clontarf). S.S. LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Fare, 1s.

FOR ULLADULLA and CLYDE RIVER.
Sch. MAY HOWARD, now loading at Goodlet's Wharf, foot Bathurst-street, sails at 4 p.m. TO-DAY.

FOR BERMAGUI and COBARGO.—MURUNA receives Cargo at Caledonian Wharf.

KIAMA.—The LANSDOWNE leaves Murphy's Wharf, Liverpool-street, at 12 o'clock.

TWEED RIVER (all parts).—VALE, on THURSDAY, from Patent Slip Wharf. R. Langley, 98, Sussex-st.

KETCH ENDEAVOUR takes in Cargo, THIS DAY, for Camden Haven. Goodlet's Wf., at foot of Bathurst-st.

STEAMER ANGERS, from CHINA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Unless consignees commence to take delivery of their cargo ex above steamer before NOON THIS DAY, TUESDAY, we shall be compelled to remove same to store at consignees' risk and expense.
Consignees are respectfully requested to take delivery immediately, to enable the steamer to continue her discharge, and to avoid the cargo being removed into bonded stores.
GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO.,
Agents,
37, Pitt-street.

WANTED, VESSEL, thirty thousand sawn hardwood, Manning to Sydney. F. J. Gibbins, 96, Sussex-st.

WANTED, a MODEL of Vessel of 2000 tons or more, to a 16th of an inch to the foot scale; steamship preferred. Apply Namo, Park-street Post-office.

THE ANGLO-AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited.

STEAMSHIP PORT PIRIE, from LONDON.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The above steamer's manifest having been lodged at the Custom-house, CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for DIBBS'S WHARF.
BILLS of LADING must be presented, duly endorsed, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before the goods can be delivered.
The steamer will not be responsible for any damage to, or loss of cargo after it is landed, and all goods impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at expense and risk of consignees.
GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., Agents,
37, Pitt-street.

Captain DULLING will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his crew without his written authority.

S.S. AUSTRALASIAN from LONDON.
CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Dalgety's Wharf.
The ship will not be responsible for any damage to or loss of cargo after landing, and any goods impeding the vessel's discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense.
BILLS of LADING must be produced, duly endorsed, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the office of the undersigned before any goods can be delivered.
DALGETY and CO., Limited, Agents,
5, Bent-street.

SHIP SATURNUS, from HAMBURG.
CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for A. S. N. Wharf.
Bills of Lading must be presented, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before the goods can be delivered.
The ship will not be responsible for any damage to, or loss of cargo after it is landed, and all goods impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at expense and risk of consignees.
SCHMEDES, ERBSLOH, and CO., Agents, 80, Pitt-street.
Captain Hoekelmann will not be responsible for any Debts contracted by his crew without his written authority.

BARQUE NITH, from LONDON.
CONSIGNEES by this vessel must PASS ENTRIES at once for Dibbs' Wharf. The ship will not be responsible for any loss of or damage to cargo after it once leaves her tackles, and all cargo impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at the consignee's risk and expense.
BILLS of LADING duly endorsed, must be produced, freight paid, and orders for delivery obtained from the undersigned before any goods will be delivered to the consignees.
S. HOFFNUNG and CO.,
Agents.

Captain BALL will not be responsible for any DEBTS that may be contracted by his crew.

S.S. KENT, from LONDON.
GENERAL AVERAGE.

In consequence of an accident during the voyage, it is necessary to have an AVERAGE BOND signed by all consignees, and payment of a DEPOSIT of three-quarters per cent. (¾ per cent.) on the London invoice values.
The Bond is now ready for signature. Consignees will please sign and pay deposits.
M. METCALFE and CO.,
Agents.

BARQUE LOCH TROOL, from LONDON.
All CLAIMS and ACCOUNTS against this vessel must be RENDERED in triplicate at the Office of the undersigned by noon on WEDNESDAY, 5th instant, otherwise they will not be recognised.
DALTON BROS.,
Pitt-street.

DIVING GEAR, Heinke's, Siebe, and Gorman's, and Robison's manufacture. W. Robison, 67, Sussex-street.

FOR SALE, 16ft. Cedar BOAT (centreboard), sails and all complete. B. Jenkins, 13, Llewellyn-st., Balmain.

NORTH SHORE STEAM FERRY COMPANY, Limited. STEAMERS for SALE. Apply No. 5 Jetty.

PICNICS AND EXCURSIONS.
CLONTARF GROUNDS, together with fast and commodious steamers, can be engaged at reasonable rates.
W. and T. MOORE,
No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay.

TO STEAMSHIP OWNERS.—Wanted to Purchase, a STEAMER, carrying 400 to 500 tons, in good condition. Apply by letter to OCTAVIUS L. MONTEFIORE, Royle's-chambers, Bond-street.

WANTED, small second-hand canvas pulling Dingy. 7 or 8 p.m., 5, Ennis-terrace, Smith-street, Balmain.

TRAVELLERS BY SEA AND LAND.
PORTMANTEAUS, TRUNKS, and BAGS, in every size and style.
JOHN BRUSH, SON, and CO., Saddlers, opposite Royal Hotel, Sydney.

Personal.

ARCHIE,—write to mother, Post-office North Melbourne. J. M'Ewan.

AUSTRALIA JUBILEE GOODWIN,—Kindly call on Williamson and Williamson, solicitors, at once.

COSMO,—Absent; letter posted, procure; going home; memo. office, under your small key, usual.

FLEMING,—Wanted, address of Mrs. FLEMING, last known residence (1885) Cameron-street, near Mort's Dock, Balmain. News of importance. A. B. C., Park-street Post office.

GEORGE FURNESS,—If disengaged, communicate with E. B. Woodhouse, Mount Gilead.

GEORGE HUGHES, Builder, late of Casino, Richmond River,—Urgent. Send your address to John H. Munro, Grafton.

MISS CUNNINGHAME, please call on A. R. Stone, as I have sold property.

MISSING from their home since the 26th August, my two DAUGHTERS. Anyone harbouring them, or any of my effects after this date will be prosecuted. Being under age. Mrs. MILLS, Oxford-street.

NAVY BLUE,—Disappointed; meet me Tuesday same time and place. Urgent.

R. M. RILEY (late of the Detective Force),
Private Inquiry, Missing Friends, and General Business Agency Office, No. 42, ROYAL ARCADE, SYDNEY.
Absconders and wife-deserters traced, and all kinds of confidential inquiries instituted. Evidence obtained in divorce, libel, fraud, and incendiary cases for the legal profession and others. Copies of wills, certificates of birth, marriage, or death obtained in any part of the world. R. M. R. having established agencies in all parts of the globe, he is in a position to conduct all inquiries with caution, expedition, and strictest secrecy, and to promptly attend to all business entrusted to his care.

THE Lady who dropped MONEY in Anthony Hordern's on Monday morning call Miss Lambert, 66, Westmoreland-street, Forest Lodge.

THOMAS Mc. M'MULLAN.—Information required of this person, who some time since emigrated to Australia. Was heard of at Mount Lock Farm, Jamestown, but believed more recently to have been at Beetive Station, near Tamworth. He belonged to the north of Ireland; and any particulars will be thankfully received by Arthur Cubitt, inquiry agent, Pitt-st., Sydney.

WANTED, the Address of JOHN and THOMAS WINTER, who left Leeds, England, many years ago. If dead, please send certificates of same to Sam. Smith, 3, Dick-street, Chippendale, Sydney.

Calls on Shares.

MOUNT COSTIGAN LEAD and SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited,
TUENA, N. S. W.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Second CALL of One Shilling per Share has been made on all the Contributing Shares in the capital of the above company, payable to the undersigned, at the Company's Office, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before 23rd September, 1888.
By order of the Board,
A. A. GALLAGHER,
Legal Manager.

N.B.—Holders of scrip not registered in their own names are advised to have the same registered at once, and ascertain if No. 1 call has been paid.
Shares on which No. 1 call has not been paid will be forfeited at the next meeting of the Board.

THE BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY BLOCK 14 COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE OF CALL.

15, Queen-street,
Melbourne, 23rd August, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (the Fourth) of Two Shillings and Sixpence per Share upon the Shares held by you in the above Company was declared by the Directors on the 22nd day of August, 1888, and is due and payable at this office on or before the 14th day of September, 1888.
Country shareholders are requested to remit by cheque or P.O.O., and add exchange to their cheques.

By order of the Board.

JOHN BRANDON,
Secretary.

N.B.—Shareholders, when remitting, are requested to set out CONSECUTIVE NUMBERS of the Shares they hold, or enclose Scrip Certificates.

Business Announcements.

NOTICE.—The Partnership hitherto existing between PETER FORBES and J. H. MURRAY, Dairymen, Petersham, has been DISSOLVED THIS DAY, by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by the said Peter Forbes.
3-9-88. (Signed) PETER FORBES.
Witness—DUNCAN FORBES. J. H. MURRAY.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, Solicitors, have removed from their former offices, No. 81, New Pitt-street, to new premises, Nos. 12 and 14, O'Connell-street, opposite Messrs. Newton and Lamb's.

INVESTORS' GUIDE, gratis. Frank Blackley, stock, share broker, and financial agent, 5, Spring-street, Sydney.

(For Advertisements relating to Property Lost and Found, see Page 14.)

FARMER AND COMPANY.

VICTORIA HOUSE.

PITT-STREET—Nos. 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231
MARKET-STREET—Nos. 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80
GEORGE-STREET—No. 430
POST OFFICE BOX—497. TELEPHONE, 72
CABLE, Ferocity. London—48, Aldermanbury, E.C.

SPRING 1888.

DRESS MATERIALS.

PLAIN and TWILL BEIGES in new colours, including Vieux, Rose, Reseda, Gobelins, Greys, Dust, Tans, &c.
STRIPE BEIGES for combination. MILLE RAYE, striped and plain.
CASHMERE SERGE, single and double widths, in all fashionable shades.

BOXED ROBES.
For this Season we have to hand some extremely choice goods in INDIAN CASHMERES, Tinsel and Brocade Borders, Stripes, &c., exclusive designs.

FINE FRENCH VEILINGS.
This most suitable Fabric for our climate in all the favourite tints.

WASHING MATERIALS.
With a view of meeting the increasing demand for these goods we have made special effort to secure a large and varied assortment for this department.

We are showing
TURKEY ZEPHYRS
HIBERNIA ZEPHYRS
KINDERGARTEN ZEPHYRS
VICHY ZEPHYRS
PRINTED COTTON CASHMERES
BURMAH STRIPES
BORDERED PERCALES
GALATEAS
PLAIN SATEENS
FANCY SATEENS
HARRATEEN TWILLS, &c.

PRINTS.
Our usual and incomparable display should be seen.
PRINTS, 4½d PER YARD, GRAND VALUE
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DRESSMAKING.
Recent engagements for this department place us in a position to execute all orders with precision, assuring to our patrons a faithful execution of their commands and a keen supervision combined with consistent economy. Fitting rooms splendidly lighted.

SILKS.
Our selections for this season are of the most recherché character, and have been secured under most favourable arrangements. Every mail, of course, brings us novelties; but for our Spring season we have ever a splendid show in these choice and seasonable goods.
INDIAN TUSSUR SILKS, a novelty. These have been produced specially for us. We expect a large demand, and have therefore a large stock in all colours.
LIBERTY SILKS, a large and varied stock of these.
FANCY LIBERTYS, 1s 11½d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 4s 6d, in stripes and checks, really a most seasonable silk.
PEAU DE SOIE, in all colours, a favourite.
Watered Silks, now much worn.—We have a splendid assortment to meet the season's trade.
BENGALINES, SURAHS, MERVEILLEUX, FAILLE FRANCAISE, and all the leading Goods for Trimmings in wonderful variety.

MANTLE DEPARTMENT.
Anticipating a large demand for this season, we have imported a splendid assortment in the newest and most fashionable shapes and textures.
All the leading styles are now to be seen in
LACE and SILK MANTLES
LACE and SILK VISITES
LACE and SILK FICHUS
BEADED FICHUS
BEADED DOLMANS
BEADED DOLMANETTES
LADIES' JACKETS, Newest Shapes
LADIES' JACKETS, Newest Materials
LADIES' JACKETS, Newest Shades
LADIES' JERSEYS
LADIES' JERSEYS.

LADIES' JERSEYS in LATEST NOVELTIES.

A SPLENDID NOVELTY—THE RACE CLOAK, made entirely of lace insertions from the neck—a beautiful garment, and in appearance unquestionably rich.

LADIES' COSTUMES.
Unusual attractions are to be found here, our selections having been made from the first producers in Paris and London.

MILLINERY.
In the styles and Trimmings of LADIES' HATS for this Spring a MARKED CHANGE is observable. Instead of small shapes, simply trimmed, the demand is for large shapes of the Gainsboro' character, profusely trimmed with Flowers and Plumes. We are showing the newest shapes, such as Flops, Gems, spa, Sunbeams, &c., in Canton Plaits, Fancy Straw, Tuscan, and Leghorn.

IN BONNETS we are showing a splendid variety at most reasonable cost, in Plain and Fancy Straw, Chip, &c., new and becoming shapes.

FLOWERS.
THE SEASON FOR FLOWERS—A Lovely Display.—With every confidence we invite attention to our FRENCH FLOWERS as being exceptionally rich and beautiful.

COLOURED PLUMES.
These are to be much worn, and for adornment are certainly fascinating. The tints charmingly delicate.

CHILDREN'S HATS.
Trimmed Sailors', Galateas, &c., in every novelty. Indeed, our stock in this department is replete with latest styles. Inspection invited.

MOURNING.
Replete with the newest and most reliable textures from the best manufacturers. Orders completed with despatch.

UNDERCLOTHING.
We keep constantly in stock the most extensive assortment in Australia. Every article requisite for Outfits, Trousseaux, Layettes, &c. Estimates given.

GENERAL DRAPERY.
The Goods invariably offered in this department are such that too much cannot be said in recommendation. The pronounced favour met with is our assurance in stating that a large percentage is saved in purchasing all drapery goods from us.

CARPETS.
We stand renowned as possessors of the most varied and rich collection of floor coverings. Our consignments—year by year increasing—are in themselves full proof of this conclusion. Linoleums, Floorcloths, Mattings, Rugs—newest designs, best qualities. Our Carpets will well repay an inspection.

FURNITURE.
We keep a most comprehensive stock of well-made Furniture suitable for residences of every order, for Drawing and Dining Rooms, Library, Bedrooms, Halls, Kitchens, &c. Upholstering in all its branches. Estimates given for furnishing throughout.

GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING.
Our season's Goods to hand. Buyers will do well to inspect. Every garment well made, and from specially selected materials.

BOYS' and YOUTHS' CLOTHING, all direct from our London Factory, and are offered as unparalleled for cut, make, quality, and prices.

GENTLEMEN'S WASHING VESTS, 5s 6d, 7s 6d, marvellously cheap.
GENTLEMEN'S WASHING VESTS, marvellously cheap, 5s 6d, 7s 6d, new and fresh for the season.
TIES, SCARFS, COLLARS.
A grand assortment of New Goods at this counter.
We invite special attention to these Goods.

STRAW HATS.
An immense assortment just opened.
CYCLISTS' STRAW HATS, BOYS' BOATERS, &c.
A grand display of Straw Hats for the Spring.

CLOTHING TO ORDER.
The degree of excellence already attained enables us to feel we enjoy the confidence of our patrons, whilst our staff of cutters with their experienced workmen ensures to our patrons all the advantages obtainable from the highest order of management. Our Woollens to hand cannot but promote the business done here.

OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.
The travelling public are respectfully invited to inspect our large stock of requisites on view in our rooms recently opened.

VICTORIA HOUSE IS PRE-EMINENTLY A CASH HOUSE.
Prices are below those of any establishments where credit obtains, and our customers have the immense advantage of purchasing
THE BEST GOODS
AT LOWEST PRICES.

For the convenience of well-known customers we send goods, but on the understanding that payment is made within a few days. Carpet and furnishing orders excepted, but for these payment is asked on completion of orders.

OUR PRICES ARE ARRANGED FOR
PROMPT PAYMENT, NET CASH,
AND NO DISCOUNT.
FARMER and COMPANY.

RIBBONS.
WE ARE MAKING A GRAND DISPLAY OF NEW RIBBONS.

SEE WINDOWS, PITT-STREET.

NEW RIBBONS FOR SPRING
NEW RIBBONS FOR SPRING
NEW CABLE-EDGE RIBBON
NEW CABLE-EDGE RIBBON
EVERY NEW SHADE IN RIBBONS
EVERY NEW SHADE IN RIBBONS.

SEE OUR DISPLAY
SEE OUR DISPLAY
WINDOWS IN PITT-STREET.
FARMER AND COMPANY.

THIS DAY THIS DAY.

DISPLAY OF SPRING GOODS
PRINTS, ZEPHYRS, and
OTHER FASHIONABLE TEXTURES
IN WASHING MATERIALS.

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HANDICAPS DECLARED
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With regard to the "advertisement" of Allen P. West in the Herald of the 30th August, it so happens that, although Mr. West was present during part of the night on occasion there referred to, I am given to understand he was not present while the minuet was being danced, consequently it is difficult to imagine how he can write himself an "eye-witness" of that event. I am not prepared to state the minuet danced was that of the Courts of "Queen Anne" or "Louis the 14th," but I can affirm that in England and elsewhere it has been repeatedly danced, and at present is very freely patronised by the élite of society in this colony, from whom I hold the highest testimonials of approval, gratification, and of my proficiency in its instruction. So from the above it will be seen that, although not altogether uninfluenced by "pecuniary considerations," I can also invite investigation by, as Mr. West writes, "really competent persons" with perfect confidence in the result.
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Under the patronage of LADY CARRINGTON and Mrs. FAIRFAX,
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THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, the 4th SEPTEMBER.

Gentlemen's Tickets, £1 1s
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Religious Announcements.

GREAT SYNAGOGUE, HYDE PARK.
A SPECIAL SERVICE will be held during the ensuing Holidays at the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, under the supervision of the Rev. P. Philippstein, to whom early application for seats should be made, or to
S. FRANKEL,
Secretary Great Synagogue.

NOTICE TO THE JEWISH COMMUNITY.
The ensuing HOLIDAYS commence as follows:—
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Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
In Equity.
In the matter of the Companies Act, 1874, and in the matter of Her Majesty's Theatre and Grand Opera House Company of Sydney, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by this Honorable Court, or in the alternative subject to its supervision, was on the thirty-first day of August last presented to this Honorable Court by XAVIERA MARIA MORELL, of 79, Darlinghurst-road, Darlinghurst, in the city of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow; and JOHN EDWARD KEMP, of Number 156, Pitt-street, in the city of Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Architect, creditors of the said Company: And that the said Petition is directed to be heard before the Honorable William Owen, Primary Judge in Equity of this honorable Court, on FRIDAY, the fourteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Equity Court, Chancery-square, Sydney; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company, or for a supervision order under the above Act, should appear at the time of hearing by himself, or his counsel for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.
Dated this third day of September, 1888.
JOHN M'LAUGHLIN,
Mercantile Mutual-chambers,
118, Pitt-street,
Sydney,
Solicitor for the Petitioners.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
No. 22703.
In Bankruptcy and In Insolvency.
In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM JOHN FINNERAN, of Petersham, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Builder.
NOTICE is hereby given that this Honourable Court will be moved on THURSDAY, the 20th day of September instant, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as counsel can be heard in that behalf, that the Estate of the abovenamed insolvent may be released from sequestration upon the grounds stated and set forth in the affidavit of the said insolvent, sworn the 25th day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and filed this day in support of the said motion.
Dated this third day of September, A.D. 1888.
J. A. THOMPSON,
Attorney for the said Insolvent,
Norwich-chambers,
Hunter-street,
Sydney.
To the Chief Clerk in Insolvency, and to E. M. Stephen, Esq., official assignee of the abovenamed insolvent estate.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.
In the Will of GEORGE THOMAS GERRARD, late of the North Shore Hotel, Loftus-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Licensed Victualler, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of 14 days from the publication hereof in the New South Wales Government Gazette, application will be made to the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the above-named GEORGE THOMAS GERRARD, deceased, may be granted to the Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales, Limited, the Executors in the said Will named.
Dated this 1st day of September, A.D. 1888.
W. H. PIGOTT,
Proctor for the said Executors,
50, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

THOMAS ALEXANDER KELLY, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Trust Property Act of 1862.—NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the Estate of THOMAS ALEXANDER KELLY, late of Gulgong, in the colony of New South Wales, Clerk in the Bank of New South Wales, deceased, who died on the 15th day of May, 1881, are hereby required to send in full particulars and proof of their claims and demands upon the estate of the said deceased to Messrs. CAPE, KENT, and GADEN, of 99A, Pitt-street, Sydney, on or before the fifth day of October next, or in default thereof SARAH KIRKER KELLY, the Executrix of the Will of the said Thomas Alexander Kelly, deceased, will, after the last named date, proceed to administer the Estate, and distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice.
Dated this first day of September, 1888.
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THE BARRIER RANGES and BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY COMPANY, Limited.

We are requested to state that the List for Application for SHARES in the above company CLOSES on WEDNESDAY, 5th instant.
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Brokers.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PUBLICAN'S CONDITIONAL LICENSE.
I, FREDERICK JAMES FULLER, Cambridge-street, do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next Licensing Court, to be holden at the Water Police Court on the 16th OCTOBER, 1888, for a Publican's Conditional License for a house to be erected at Elizabeth and Underwood streets, Paddington, and to contain 36 rooms, exclusive of those required for the use of the family.
Dated the 3rd day of September, 1888.
Signature of applicant, F. J. FULLER,
Address 3, Cambridge-street, Paddington.

THE SUNNY CORNER SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE.

The FOURTEENTH DIVIDEND of 1s 6d per Share will be payable to the Shareholders upon production of scrip, at the registered office of the Company, No. 2, O'Connell-street, Sydney, on and after TUESDAY, the 18th instant.
The TRANSFER BOOKS will be closed from WEDNESDAY, the 12th instant, to THURSDAY, the 13th instant, inclusive.
By order of the Board,
FRANCIS W. KING,
Secretary.
Sydney, 3rd September, 1888.

THE KATOOMBA COAL AND SHALE COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the DIVIDEND, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum upon the guaranteed shares, and of 12½ per cent. per annum upon the preferent shares, is now payable at the Company's Office, Post Office-chambers, Sydney.
G. S. BUZACOTT,
Secretary.

THE HARGRAVES GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

Shareholders herein are informed that SCRIP for the contributing shares is now ready for issue, and can be had on application to the undersigned.
G. S. BUZACOTT,
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Pitt-street.

ROYAL NAVAL HOME.
The donation of JAMES R. FAIRFAX, Esq., of one thousand pounds (£1000) towards the erection of the new House in Charlotte Place is gratefully acknowledged.
ROBERT DEANE,
Hon. Treasurer.

IF GEORGE WILLIAM NIXON does not come or answer this advertisement within fourteen days I, JANE ELIZA NIXON, will get married again. Answers to be addressed to General Post Office, Sydney.

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This establishment will be CLOSED on THURSDAY, the 6th September, and SATURDAY, the 15th September, being the Jewish New Year and Day of Atonement.

NOTICE.—The undersigned Establishment will be CLOSED on THURSDAY, September 5, being a Jewish Holiday. I. ISRAEL, Bonus Tea Warehouse, Goulburn and Sussex streets.

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THE Officers of H.M.S. Orlando are not responsible for any Debts contracted by me, their messman, Albert Milford.

CAUTION.—I hereby caution all Persons against REMOVING any of my Furniture or Goods from 4, High-street, North Shore, without my written authority.
3rd September, 1888. M. DUSCHNITZ.

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WM. VIAL and SON, Coachbuilders, beg to inform their patrons that on account of Castlereagh-street being taken up for blocking, and traffic likely to be stopped for a month, all repairs will be carried on during that time at their works, Elizabeth-street, Paddington. They will be glad if all their patrons will kindly send their work to that address, where it will receive prompt attention.

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

(*In Banco.—Before their Honors the* CHIEF JUSTICE, *Mr. Justice* WINDEYER, *and Mr. Justice* FOSTER.)

HOLT V. GIBLIN.

Mr. A. H. Simpson and Mr. Gregory Walker, instructed by Mr. John M'Laughlin, appeared for the appellant (plaintiff). Mr. Salomons, Q.C., and Mr. C. J. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Co., for the Bank of New Zealand, and Mr. Lingen, and Mr. H. P. Owen, instructed by Messrs Macnamara and Norton, for the trustees of plaintiff's assigned estate, Messrs. Norman Frederick Giblin, George Durham, and Melbourne John Macnamara. This was an appeal by Edward Brown Holt, late manager of the Bank of New Zealand, but at present a prisoner in Darlinghurst gaol, against the decision of the Chief Judge in Equity, dismissing with costs an application for an interlocutory injunction to restrain the respondents, Messrs. Giblin, Durham, and Macnamara, from executing a transfer to the Bank of New Zealand of all plaintiff's right, title, and interest in a lease of a property known as the Rosehill Racecourse. The grounds of the appeal were (1) that his Honor was in error in holding that the plaintiff was trustee of the moneys of the defendant bank in any such sense as disentitled him to employ such moneys in the manner stated in the evidence: (2) that the defendant bank are in any case disabled by the Act of Incorporation from "claiming and holding the interest of the plaintiff of the Rosehill racecourse absolutely as their own property, and not by way of mortgage." (3.) That his Honor was in error in refusing to grant the interlocutory injunction moved by plaintiff.

After hearing Messrs. Simpson and Walker on behalf of the appellant, and without calling upon the respondents,

The CHIEF JUSTICE said: This is a suit instituted by Mr. Holt, who in 1886 was manager of the Bank of New Zealand, and he asks in this suit for an injunction to restrain certain trustees, to whom he executed a deed assigning his estate for the benefit of his creditors, from transferring to the bank of which he was manager, except by way of mortgage, certain property which he as manager acquired out of the moneys of the bank. The application for an injunction coming before the Primary Judge, certain affidavits were read which after all did not carry the matter further on one side or the other than the statement of claim. The matter may be treated as if it were a demurrer by defendants to the statement of claim, that the facts therein disclosed do not entitle the plaintiff to the relief which he asks, or to the injunction. It appears from the statement of claim that in the year 1883 Messrs. Mills and Bennett put before Mr. Holt, the latter being then manager of the bank, a certain venture which had then been offered to them, that is to say, a lease of some land which it was thought would be valuable when improved as a racecourse, and they asked Holt if he as manager of the bank would make them the necessary advances to enable them to take up the lease of the land, with the option of purchase, and also improve the land and make it a valuable estate in the shape of a racecourse. Mr. Holt appears to have agreed to advance the moneys of the bank for this purpose, and it was arranged between the parties that Holt himself was to have one-third interest in the venture. Accordingly an account was opened in the bank, and all the cheques were drawn in the name of Bennett, and the account went on until it amounted to a large advance—some £10,000 or £11,000. In 1885 the lease was granted, and that lease was taken in the name of Bennett and Holt, it being understood that they were to hold it as trustees, as to a third share, for Mills. In 1886 Holt ceased to be manager of the bank, and assigned his estate to the defendants, Giblin, Durham, and Macnamara, as trustees for the benefit of his creditors. The bank discovered, for the first time after Holt had ceased to be their manager, that he was in fact interested in this account, which they knew of before as the "Parramatta Recreation Ground Account," but before this assignment they did not know that the moneys which they were advancing from time to time on that account, as they believed upon certain securities, were being in fact advanced to Holt, Bennett, and Smith, and they were not aware that Holt was interested to the extent of one-third, and that at that time he was applying the moneys of the bank for his own interest. So soon as they became aware of that, they, I suppose, made a claim upon this interest as being their property, and the question now is—can this Court restrain the trustees from handing over Holt's interest in this property to the bank? We are all of opinion that the Court cannot grant the injunction as asked for, or at all. Mr. Holt, as manager of the bank, was trustee of the bank's funds. He had certain duties to discharge with respect to the bank's funds, and as to their investment, but he had no power without their knowledge to invest upon his own account for his own purposes and for his own profit. To hold that he had such power would amount to this, that a bank manager could speculate in anything he saw fit, whether it was land, shares, or merchandise, with the bank's moneys, and at the bank's risk, and if the speculation turned out well he would get all the profit, but if it turned out ill the bank would bear all the loss and incur all the risk. Such a state of things could not exist with safety in any mercantile community. A bank manager is in a most responsible position. He is trustee of all the moneys of the bank, and cannot be permitted to invest those moneys in his own name, without the knowledge of the bank. He is in every sense a trustee and cannot be a borrower from the trust fund. The money so appropriated by Holt has gone into this land; the principle, however, is clear that a Court of Equity will at once follow the money, and follow it through any ramification. The case of Frith v. Cartland, 2 Hemming and Miller's reports, page 417, shows the extent to which a Court of Equity will follow money, and ultimately attach the thing which represents that money. In that case it was laid down—"The rules as to following trust funds in the hands of a defaulting trustee, apply against the assignees of the defaulting trustee, as fully as against the trustee himself, and the circumstance that the trust fund was acquired on the eve of bankruptcy, and when the bankrupt was about to abscond with that and his other moneys did not raise any equity in favour of the assignees or general creditors as against the owners of the trust fund." In that case the trust fund was ultimately traced to the possession of the defaulting trustee in the shape of foreign bills. In the present case the trustee has taken the money and invested it in land, and the interest of the trustee in the land can be attached in order to satisfy the trust. There is no difficulty in this Court following trust money into land, and directing the land which represents the money to be held for the benefit of the *cestui que trust*. Then it is said that the bank cannot hold land. In the first place it cannot be in the mouth of the defaulting trustee to say that the bank cannot hold land. If he could, it would come to this, that any bank manager may invest the bank's funds in land speculations, and then if the bank seeks to get redress, and get the money or land into their hands, the answer would be, "Oh no, the bank cannot hold land, and therefore it must remain in the hands of the defaulting trustee." It is not necessary to point out the great evil which would follow from such a proposition as that. It may be that they cannot hold land except for the purpose of realisation, but that they can take these lands for that purpose I have no doubt. In the case of Ayres v. the South Australian Banking Company, 3 L.R.P.C. cases, page 558, Lord Justice Mellish said, "Another objection was taken by Mr. Mainsty on the terms of the charter—the clause in the charter which says, it shall not be lawful for the bank to make advances on merchandise. Now, unquestionably, a great many questions might be raised on the effect of that clause in the charter which may be of very great importance, but which, also, being of great difficulty, their Lordships did not think it necessary to give any opinion upon. There may be a question as to what are the transactions which come really within the clause, and whether this particular case does come within it. There may be also a question whether, under any circumstances, the effect of violating such a provision is more than this, that the Crown may take advantage of it as a forfeiture, but the only point which it appears to their lordships as necessary to be determined in the present case is this, that whatever effect such a clause may have it does not prevent property passing, either in goods or in lands, under a conveyance or instrument, which under the ordinary circumstances of law would pass it." Now, apply that to the circumstances of the present case. Here are moneys taken by the manager of a bank for which he is trustee. These moneys were invested in land. If the conveyance of the land had been taken in the name of the bank, as it ought to have been, it is clear that the conveyance would transfer the land to the bank. In this case the land was transferred to the name of the trustee, and is the Court now to hold its hand, and hold that this trustee is not to convey to the bank? The question will remain behind as to what effect it will have upon the Bank charter or upon the Bank rights under the Act of Parliament, if they hold this land ultimately without realisation. That question remains behind for ultimate determination, but we cannot allow a great fraud to be perpetrated as this would be if Holt were allowed to hold this land for his own benefit or for the benefit of his other creditors simply because there is some clause in an Act of Parliament in New Zealand which prevents the Bank from holding that which they had not purchased, but which has been purchased in fraud of them out of their funds and by a person filling a fiduciary position towards them. The whole present value of the land has been brought about by the expenditure of the moneys of the bank, and the lease I suppose has been paid for out of the moneys of the bank, and we are told that not one shilling has been advanced by Messrs. Bennett and Mills, or by Holt himself. That being so, in our opinion the bank takes and is entitled to a conveyance of whatever interest in the land Holt possesses. For these reasons we hold that the judgment of the Primary Judge was correct, and that he properly refused to grant the injunction.

Appeal dismissed with costs. The costs of the trustees Messrs. Giblin, Durham, and Macnamara, to be paid as between solicitor and client.

No. 1 Jury Court.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice INNES *and a special jury of* 12.)

DIBBS V. DAILY TELEGRAPH NEWSPAPER COMPANY, LIMITED.

Mr. Pilcher, Q.C., Mr. Want, Q.C., and Mr. O'Connor, instructed by Mr. M'Laughlin, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Rogers, Q.C., Mr. E. Barton, and Mr. G. H. Reid, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, for the defendant company.

This action for alleged libel, brought by Mr. G. R. Dibbs, M.L.A., against the *Sydney Daily Telegraph* Newspaper Company, was continued to-day.

The examination-in-chief of Mr. James Thomson, formerly consulting accountant to the Treasury, was resumed.

Mr. Rogers: You gave the original document you made out with reference to the revenue and expenditure to Mr. Dibbs on either the Sunday or the Monday?

Witness: Yes, I am sure I did either on one day or the other; the Treasurer's estimate for pastoral leases for 1885 was £450,000; the amount under "pastoral occupation" for 1884 was £351,107; on Thursday night, December 10, there was not a single item charged which should have been charged to the loan account; the £48,495 against the loan estimates was put in the account for 1886; he believed the figures on the form, £48,495, were Mr. Dibbs's figures, but he would not swear it; they were not put on the paper on the Thursday night in question; the figures £8,655,834 were in witness's handwriting; witness could not swear when they were put on; he only knew that they were not put on upon the Thursday; the figures £8,918,796 was the total brought out by Mr. Dibbs; the item £49,279, less amount of appropriation chargeable against the loan votes, was not taken off that night at all; the £49,279 had nothing to do with the £48,495; one was the item for 1885 and the other was for 1886; Mr. Dibbs tested witness's figures that night after he came over to the Treasury from the club.

Mr. Rogers: Do you now remember that Mr. Dibbs did correct your figures?

Witness: He never corrected my figures; I gave him figures to put in, and he tested the figures with them.

Mr. Rogers: Did Mr. Dibbs knock off the figures or did you show him the figures yourself?

Witness: I told him the figures ought to be knocked off; the figures were shown in the estimates.

Mr. Rogers here proposed to ask the witness whether it was true, as stated by Mr. Dibbs in his evidence respecting the casual interview in the street which took place between witness, Mr. Dibbs, and Mr. Fletcher, that he said to Mr. Dibbs, "It is unfair for you to talk in that way; you knew very well there was a deficit, and you yourself concealed it."

His HONOR rejected the evidence.

By Mr. Rogers: Immediately after the interview which took place on the 13th November between witness and Mr. Dibbs in the presence of Mr. Fletcher, witness saw the plaintiff join Sir Patrick Jennings at the door of the Treasury.

Mr. Rogers: Up to that day had you ever mentioned what took place at the Treasury on the night of December 10?

Mr. Pilcher: I object to that question. What do I care whether he had mentioned it or not?

At this stage of the proceedings a pile of official papers was brought into court, and Mr. Thomson was asked to select from amongst them the estimates that were sent over to the Treasury from the Cabinet on the night of December 10, 1885.

After spending some minutes in the examination of the papers the witness said he was unable to find the papers asked for.

By Mr. Rogers: Documents which came back from the Cabinet were very frequently destroyed; he was surprised that so many of them as had been placed before him had been retained.

That concluded the examination-in-chief of Mr. Thomson.

The witness then, in cross-examination by Mr. Pilcher, deposed that he had been consulting accountant in the Treasury for 16 years, and during that time had had to do with a great number of financial statements.

Mr. Pilcher: As consulting accountant, would it be part of your duty to try and make ends meet?

Witness: It was no part of my duty to try and make ends meet.

Mr. Pilcher: You are quite sure?

Witness: Quite sure.

Mr. Pilcher: If any consulting accountant represented that that was part of his duty, would he make a false representation?

Witness: I should imagine he would.

Mr. Pilcher: Well, was it a part of the duty of the consulting accountant to apply to the head of a department to increase estimates so that he could make ends meet?

Witness: No.

Mr. Pilcher: Was it part of your duty to increase estimates, so as to make ends meet?

Witness: Unless I had been directed by the Treasurer to do so, I would not have done so.

Mr. Pilcher: Of course, if you, as consulting accountant, had written to the head of a department, asking him to increase the estimates of revenue so that you would be able to make ends meet, you would in any such application state you had been directed by the head of the Treasury to do so?

The witness assented.

Mr. Pilcher: Then, of course, if you did make application you would in your opinion be going out of your duty?

Witness: Yes.

Mr. Pilcher: The Treasurer was the person who was responsible if he over-estimated or under-estimated the revenue; he would take the blame?

Witness: Yes.

Mr. Pilcher: Can you remember whether you ever made application to the head of a department in these words: "I have been brought down from my mountain retreat to take my old position until the financial statement is made. In my capacity of consulting accountant I want to increase the estimated revenue for the present year, in order to make ends meet"?

Witness: I never did, so far as my recollection serves me.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you use these words: "Your gross revenue from railways and tramways in 1885 amounted to £2,492,775. The estimate you give now for 1886 is only £2,502,000—that is only £10,000 more than last year's receipts. Can you not increase your figures to, say, £2,610,000?" Did you ever say that?

Witness: I may have done that.

Mr. Pilcher: Did he happen to tell you in reply that he could not add another fiver?

Witness: He may have done so.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you write these words: "Can you not increase your figures to, say, £2,610,000? Try, like a good fellow, to manage this or something more, at all events, than you have given?"

Witness: Before I answer that question I would like to see the letter.

Mr. Pilcher: Do you deny that you wrote it?

Witness: Before I answer the question I should like to see the letter.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you write a letter in March, 1886?

Witness: Show me my own note and I will answer the question.

Mr. Pilcher: Do you believe that you wrote it?

Witness: Just now I don't believe it.

Mr. Pilcher (showing witness a letter): Is that your signature?

Witness replied in the affirmative.

Mr. Pilcher: Well, that is enough to show you just now. Did you write this letter?—"The Treasury, 26th March, 1886.—C. A. Goodchap, Esq.—My dear Goodchap,—I have been brought down from my mountain retreat to take my old position until the financial statement is made. In my capacity of consulting accountant, I want to increase the estimated revenue for the present year, in order to make ends meet. I therefore appeal to you for help. Your gross revenue from railways and tramways in 1885 amounted to £2,492,775. The estimate you give now for 1886 is only £2,502,000—that is only £10,000 more than last year's receipts. Can you not increase your figures to say £2,610,000? Try like a good fellow to manage this, or something more at all events than that you have given.—Yours, faithfully, JAMES THOMSON." That is your letter?

Witness: Yes.

The letter was now put in.

Mr. Pilcher proposed to examine the witness as to the nature of the reply he received from Mr. Goodchap, but the evidence in this respect was disallowed.

By Mr. Pilcher: The deduction of £48,000 which had been previously mentioned was made every year; there was no imputation about that.

The witness was now examined by Mr. Pilcher as to the "abstract statement showing the estimated revenue for 1886," presented to Parliament by Mr. Dibbs on December 11, 1885, and a similar abstract presented to Parliament a little later by Mr. Burns. The witness gave evidence to the effect that the estimates of Mr. Dibbs and Mr. Burns were identical in respect to estimated revenue, except in respect to the following sources:—Stamps, Mr. Dibbs's estimate £350,000, Mr. Burns's £250,000; railway receipts, Mr. Dibbs's estimate £2,860,000, Mr. Burns's £2,720,000; fees for escort and conveyance of gold, Mr. Dibbs's £1300, Mr. Burns's £1000; pilotage, harbour, and light rates and fees, Mr. Dibbs's estimate £58,000, Mr. Burns's £57,000; fees of office, Mr. Dibbs's estimate £77,900, Mr. Burns's £84,500; unclassified receipts, Mr. Dibbs's estimate £202,300, Mr. Burns's £217,300; witness did not take the responsibility of the figures in Mr. Burns's statement; witness did not make up those figures; he made up the statement from figures supplied by the Department; he had no doubt that Mr. Burns satisfied himself that those figures could be used.

His HONOR: Is there any instance of Mr. Burns not only adopting the figures of Mr. Dibbs, but increasing them?

Mr. Want: Yes. "Unclassified receipts" stood originally at £192,300; Mr. Dibbs increased it to £202,300; and Mr. Burns increased it to £217,300.

By Mr. Pilcher: Mr. Dibbs, after deducting the £48,000 previously referred to, estimated the revenue for 1886 at £8,850,450, and Mr. Burns, after taking off £140,000 for "railways" and £100,000 for "stamps," estimated the revenue for 1886 at £8,630,750; Mr. Burns's estimate of expenditure for 1886 was £9,065,386, and Mr. Dibb's £8,607,339; witness, as consulting accountant, frequently saw Mr. Burns with reference to his estimates, and assisted him in the preparation of his estimates.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you believe that Mr. Burns's estimate of revenue would be obtained?

Witness: I will not say what I believed.

Mr. Pilcher repeated the question.

Witness: I will not say.

Mr. Pilcher: If you do not answer the question I shall have to request his Honor to compel you to do so. You divulged this to the public against Dibbs.

Witness: I did not divulge it until Mr. Dibbs came forward and told so many confounded lies.

Mr. Pilcher: Now, on your oath, did you think the estimates true or false?

Witness: I believed them to be true so far as the officers sent them in; that is all I can say.

Mr. Pilcher: Are they in the same state as when they came in from the various departments?

Witness: So far as I know they are.

Mr. Pilcher: And you then believed that those estimates would be obtained in 1886?

Witness: How can I believe anything of the kind? I don't believe it; I think the estimates for "Lands" exceedingly high.

Mr. Pilcher: Is there anything else you take exception to?

Witness: Yes; the amount put down for Customs is too high?

Mr. Pilcher: And you believing that, signed the document?

Witness: I signed that as I would sign any other document in the Treasury; I have done it for the last 16 years; I considered that the estimates for the Lands and Customs Departments were too large, but I did not tell Mr. Burns so.

Mr. Pilcher: Why didn't you tell Mr. Burns so, sir?

Witness: If you don't speak to me civilly I won't answer your questions at all. I have no respect for you but as a barrister.

Mr. Pilcher: I don't think you have any respect for anybody, if you ask me; your conduct in this case shows that; now, sir, you did not give Mr. Burns your opinion about these estimates.

Witness: I did not express any opinion at all; it was no part of my duty to do so.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you not say anything about the £48,000.

Witness: The item of £48,000 was not mentioned on the night of the 10th December; don't think you are going to make me out a liar?

Mr. Pilcher: Never mind what I am going to make you out to be. You won't know yourself, probably, when I have done with you.

Witness in further cross-examination said he would not swear that the Collector of Customs sent in anything at all for Mr. Burns' estimates, but he would almost swear that Mr. Burns sent to him for information; when witness, Mr. Dibbs, and Scarlett, sat down to go through the estimates at the Treasury there was no discussion over the items; the simple question was what amount could be deducted without being detected; the only item that was not dealt with in that way was the stamp duties, £100,000.

Mr. Pilcher: If a member of Parliament asked a Minister to place a certain amount on the estimates for a bridge, and he promised to do so, the member would be able to detect the omission if the sum was not placed on the estimates, would'nt he?

Witness: Yes, of course he would.

Mr. Pilcher: Supposing a man, as Treasurer, put down on the estimates anything he liked for the Customs, could it be detected?

Witness: Not very well.

Mr. Pilcher: I thought not.

Witness: The Department would know whether the amount had been increased or reduced. Parliament or the public would not know.

Mr. Pilcher: I believe, Mr. Thomson, you found great fault with Mr. Dibbs's conduct because, as you said, he told some confounded lies about you?

Witness: Yes.

Mr. Pilcher: And you felt very angry?

Witness: Yes, as any honest man would feel.

Mr. Pilcher: The long letter you wrote to the paper was after this whole quarrel arose between you and Mr. Dibbs?

Witness: It was after Mr. Dibbs's statement appeared in the paper.

Mr. Pilcher: From the time this matter occurred up to the time you gave your evidence on Friday, did you ever venture to say that at the time you went through the accounts with Mr. Dibbs the simple inquiry was as to whether what you were then doing would be detected?

Witness: The matter was a secret, I never told anyone, and I never said a word about it until I went into the witness box. I never stated it in the account sent to the newspapers. What I stated was that what Mr. Dibbs did was done for the purpose of bringing out a surplus.

Mr Pilcher: You have read Mr. Dibbs's account of what took place that night at the Treasury when you went through the accounts. Is that account true or false?

Witness: His statement is absolutely false.

Mr. Pilcher: Then Mr. Dibbs committed perjury.

Witness: When he swore that he committed perjury.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you also read Scarlett's account of that.

Witness: I did.

Mr. Pilcher: And is that perjury also?

Mr. Rogers objected to the witness being asked to say whether any witness had committed perjury.

His HONOR said the witness had already stated that Mr. Dibbs had committed perjury. The object of ordering witnesses out of court had been defeated by the newspapers publishing an account of the evidence from day to day. No application had been made to him with regard to this matter by either side. He upheld Mr. Rogers's objection.

Mr. Pilcher said he would proceed in a more modified form. To Witness: Is it true, as Mr. Scarlett states, that you said, "I don't know what Dibbs will think of this; you must go to the club, and get him to come back."

Witness: That's a lie. In further cross-examination witness said he never told Scarlett that the figures were upset, and that instead of there being a surplus for 1886 there would be a deficit; he never said to Mr. Dibbs, in a painfully agitated manner, "I don't know what you will think of us;" that statement was a lie; it was correct that the three of them—witness, Mr. Dibbs, and Scarlett—sat down to a table, but it was not true that the items of expenditure were taken first; the revenue was dealt with first; it was true that Mr. Dibbs was guided by witness's opinion in some cases; there was no discussion over any item; Scarlett was trying to throw the whole responsibility of what was done on witness.

Mr. Pilcher: You are taking a great interest in this case?

Witness: Yes.

Mr. Pilcher: I believe on the 11th of January, 1888, you wrote a minute to Mr. Burns?

Witness: Yes.

The document was then put in as evidence, and read as follows:—"Minute Paper.—Subject: The documents relating to Mr. Dibbs's charge against the consulting accountant to the Treasury, and that officer's reply thereto. In view of Mr. Dibbs's action for libel against the *Daily Telegraph*, in which I presume I shall be one of the defendant's principal witnesses, I desire before I retire from the public service to place in the hands of the Colonial Treasurer the documents I have to rely upon to support the statements made by me in the memorandum which appeared in the *Herald* and *Daily Telegraph* newspapers of the 8th January, 1887. If these documents, a list of which I attach, could be placed in records, under seal, I should be glad, as they will no doubt be demanded on an order of the Supreme Court when the case comes on for trial, or it may be sooner. JAMES THOMSON, C. A." The following list was forwarded with the minute:—"1. Account No. 2.—Actual and estimated revenue and expenditure for the year 1885. Account No. 3.—Estimated revenue and expenditure for the year 1886. 2. Statement marked A.—Abstract showing the actual revenue of 1884, the actual and estimated revenue for 1885, and the estimated revenue for 1886, attached to which is a memorandum in blue pencil, in the handwriting of the (then) Private Secretary to the Premier, showing under general heads the increase to the revenue made by Mr. Dibbs on the night of the 10th December, 1885. 3. Memorandum by the Consulting Accountant, dated 26th October, 1885, with reference to the supplementary estimates of 1885 and previous years. 4. Papers connected with the estimates of expenditure, 1886, showing a reduction of £311,457. 5. Papers relating to the estimates and revenue for 1886 and the last six months of 1885, with two covering sheets. 6. Suggested paragraphs for the Governor's speech. 7. Inspector's memorandum, disclaiming any knowledge of errors in the accounts. 8. Treasury minute, dated 14th December, 1885, respecting remuneration for overtime work. 9. Minute of Executive Council, dated 17th December, 1885, and other papers respecting leave of absence to the Chief Inspector. 10. Items reduced and struck out of estimates of expenditure, 11th December, 1885."

Witness, on further cross-examination, said the memorandum handed to him previously by counsel was a document which was given to him by Mr. Scarlett a short time after Mr. Dibbs left office—at the end of 1885; witness knew Mr. Brient, and saw him in the Treasurer's room; he had a conversation with him for two or three minutes—not longer; Brient was in the room with Mr. Burns; he was there when witness went in, and remained there after witness left the room; he saw Brient once at the *Daily Telegraph* office, but he could not say when; witness never saw the draft of the article "Challenge to Mr. Dibbs" before it appeared; the article was as much of a surprise to him as to anyone else.

His HONOR: The article says "Mr. Thomson offers, and we offer, Mr. Dibbs every satisfaction," but you say it was not by your authority in any way that it appeared.

Witness: I had not the slightest idea that the article was to appear.

Mr. Pilcher: Did you tell Mr. Kirkpatrick that you knew they (meaning the *Daily Telegraph* people) were going to put something in, but that you thought they had gone too far?

Witness: It is probable I did say something to Mr. Kirkpatrick; we were talking about the matter; no doubt I said I thought they had gone too far.

Mr. Rogers: That's a matter for the jury to express an opinion upon.

Mr. Pilcher: Are you quite sure you did not say you knew something was going to appear?

Witness: I am almost sure I said nothing of the sort; I never divulged to Mr. Burns what Mr. Dibbs had done until after the interview at which Mr. Fletcher was present took place between witness and Mr. Dibbs; in a long letter witness published on January 8, 1887, he did publish an accusation that Mr. Dibbs had converted a deficit into a surplus; it was done in such a way as to avoid detection by Parliament; witness only wrote one statement to the papers; he never for a moment suggested to Mr. Brient the publication of any article.

Mr. Rogers: Did you give Mr. Brient any unasked-for information?

Mr. Pilcher objected to the question being answered.

His HONOR did not see in the evidence any foundation for the question now asked.

By Mr. Rogers: Witness in answer to a question by Mr. Brient said there were on record in the office certain papers; with that exception witness never had anything to do with any one connected with the paper; Ministers sometimes promised to put amounts for bridges on the estimates; the amounts were put on, but when the estimates came back the amounts sometimes had been struck out; the total revenue for 1886 actually received amounted to £7,594,301; the estimates of expenditure at the time Mr. Burns was in office came from the Cabinet in the ordinary way.

Mr. Rogers: Is there any discrepancy between the estimates of expenditure arrived at on the Sunday and those laid on the table of the House?

Mr. Pilcher objected to the question, and it was not pressed.

Mr. Rogers: Was there any error made by you or the officers of the Treasury in the estimates of expenditure for 1885,—were any errors in the estimates of expenditure for 1885 discovered between Sunday, 6th, and Thursday, 10th December, 1885?

Mr. Pilcher objected to the admission of evidence of that nature. If errors were discovered that would show a discrepancy. The plaintiff never said there was a discrepancy.

His HONOR said that if the documents were in court they would show any difference which might have taken place in the condition of them. If the documents were not in evidence, by receiving an answer to a question of that kind the Court would receive evidence of the contents of a document without secondary evidence being receivable. He must reject the evidence.

Sir Patrick Jennings, called and examined by Mr. Rogers, said he occupied the position of Colonial Secretary in the Dibbs Administration; that Government went out of office in 1885; witness remembered the day on which the financial statement was made; it was on Friday, December 11, 1885; he could not say whether there was a meeting of the Cabinet on that day, but he thought there was; Mr. Dibbs was at that time Premier and Colonial Treasurer.

Mr. Rogers: Did you ever hear from Mr. Dibbs or any one else on the 11th that any alteration had been made in the estimates of revenue and expenditure for 1886?

Witness: No, I have no recollection of having heard that; I have no recollection of having, in or out of Cabinet, heard that any alterations had been made on the day in question up to the time of the delivery of the financial statement; witness became Premier and Treasurer and Mr. Dibbs Colonial Secretary in a subsequent Government; witness had to make a financial statement in March or April, 1886, and Mr. Dibbs recommended him to send for Mr. Thomson, who was at that time away on leave, to assist him with the accounts, but Mr. Dibbs never told witness to be careful because he (Mr. Dibbs) had been misled by Mr. Thomson; witness had heard Mr. Dibbs say that he had been misled by Mr. Thomson, but on the occasion in question Mr. Dibbs certainly did not, to the best of witness' recollection, accompany his recommendation with any caution; he could not fix the time as to when he first heard Mr. Dibbs say he had been misled by Mr. Thomson; he had heard him say so at various times, but he would not now say whether it was before or after he (Sir Patrick Jennings) made his financial statement; witness remembered November 30, 1886, and on that day saw Mr. Dibbs, Mr. Fletcher, and Mr. Thomson walking together; he met them, and at the time he believed they were on their way to hold a Cabinet meeting on board the steamer Premier; witness heard the latter part of the altercation which took place between Mr. Thomson and Mr. Dibbs; in consequence of that altercation Mr. Thomson made a complaint to him.

Mr. Rogers: Was that the first occasion upon which you heard anything about the alteration to the estimates?

Mr. Pilcher opposed the question, and his Honor declined to admit the evidence.

Mr. Rogers: Before that had you heard anything about the accounts being tampered with by Mr. Dibbs, or of any charge having been made against him of altering the accounts?

Witness: I never heard of any charge being made against him; when witness took office he introduced new taxation, three items of which—stamp duties, new specific duties, and ad valorem duties—he carried.

Mr. Rogers: Did the revenue to be derived from these amount to more than £700,000?

Mr. Pilcher objected to the question.

Mr. Rogers said it was part of his case to show that there was a deficit at the end of 1886, and to show that the accounts were doctored in order to manufacture the deficit into a surplus; that the cooking did no good whatever, as there was in reality a tremendous deficit at the end of 1886, notwithstanding the amount to be raised by new taxation.

Mr. Pilcher submitted that a Treasurer was not to be charged with "criminally manipulating" the finances because at the end of a year the result was not what he had estimated it would be. If that was to be so the same might be said of scores of Treasurers.

His Honor refused to admit the evidence.

Witness, cross-examined by Mr. Pilcher, said he remembered the fact of a financial statement having been delivered by Mr. Dibbs; he did not remember a Cabinet meeting being held on the day the statement was delivered; he could not undertake to say that he attended any Cabinet meeting on that day; if there was a meeting held he certainly should have been there; he could not charge his memory with what was done at the meeting if there was one held, and therefore could not say whether there was any statement made by Mr. Dibbs with regard to certain transactions; he was certain he never heard it.

Mr. Pilcher: Do you remember Mr. Dibbs saying that he had had to use the knife to the estimates of expenditure?

Witness: No.

Mr. Pilcher: Mr. See was one of your colleagues, wasn't he?

Witness: Yes.

Mr. Pilcher: And he is one of the proprietors, or rather shareholders, of the *Daily Telegraph*?

Witness: I don't know.

Mr. Rogers: You would not expect a Treasurer to interfere in estimates after they had been adopted by the Cabinet?

Mr. Pilcher objected to the question being put, and it was not pressed.

Mr. Rogers: The Cabinet do not interfere with estimates of revenue?

Mr. Pilcher objected to that question, and it was not pressed.

By Mr. Rogers: The Premier had power if he chose to exercise it and used it justly to alter the estimates received from the various departments.

Mr. Rogers: Do you mean that the Treasurer could cut down the estimates of revenue?

Mr. Pilcher objected to the question being put.

Mr. Rogers: Do you think that the Treasurer could constitutionally alter the estimates of revenue which had come to him from various departments?

His HONOR said that the learned counsel had come back to evidence which he had already ruled was not admissible.

At this stage the case was adjourned until 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

No. 2 Jury Court.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice STEPHEN *and a jury of four.)*

BULL AND OTHERS V. O'CONNOR.

Mr. Cohen, instructed by Messrs. Levy and Helmsley, appeared for the plaintiffs. Defendant did not appear. This was an action brought by Henry Bull and Company, wholesale warehousemen, against J. J. O'Connor, to recover the sum of £158 2s. 1d., being amount of account for goods sold and delivered to defendant between November and December of last year.

A verdict was returned for the full amount.

TAYLOR V. STRICKLAND.

Mr. Cohen, instructed by Messrs. Levy and Helmsley, appeared for the plaintiff. Defendant did not appear. This was an action brought by Edmund Henry Taylor against Sir Edward Strickland to recover the sum of £1357 7s. for money advanced to the defendant, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum. Plaintiff stated that he advanced the £1000 on the 27th of April of last year upon a deed, in which it was set out that the loan should be a charge upon a property at Dora Creek. On the 25th May following plaintiff made a further advance to defendant of £250, and these two amounts, together with £107 6s. 2d., interest to date of the writ, brought the total amount claimed to £1357 7s. The jury returned a verdict for the amount claimed.

HENDERSON AND OTHERS V. WALKER.

Mr. Cohen, instructed by Mr. J. Shepherd, appeared for the plaintiffs; and Dr. Sly, instructed by Messrs. Russell Jones Brothers, for the defendant. Plaintiffs, who carry on business in Pitt-street as wholesale warehousemen, sued the defendant, who carries on business at Gundagai, to recover the sum of £40 12s. 8d. for goods sold and delivered through the agency of one Winck, who, as plaintiffs alleged, was authorised by the defendant to purchase the goods for him. Defendant pleaded never indebted, and swore that the goods were not ordered on his behalf. Winck, the person who purchased the goods, also stated that, although he had acted on a previous occasion for defendant, the transaction between him and plaintiffs was entirely upon his own account.

The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice OWEN, *Chief Judge in Equity).*

PROBATES.

Applications for probate were granted in the following cases:—Robert Barber £2051, Henry Whittaker £18,071, William Larmer £2215, Richard Rogers £9714, James Chisholm £86,697, Peter Sullivan £12,312, Catherine Austin £1420, James Hulbert £616, James Fenton £861, John Michael Niebel £32,937, John Connor £114, Arthur Charles Gillicrap £225, Bradford Jones £302, Manus Landrigan £470, John Bellevue £205, Thomas Boyd £114, Benjamin Evatt Hyatt £395, Margaret James £250, Richard King £414.

ADMINISTRATIONS.

Motions for administration were granted in the following cases:—James Chrisp, £3309; Elizabeth Anderson, £510; Charles Brooke Almond, £500; John James Barkwell, £365; Mary Campbell, £486; Henrietta Campbell, £270; Christopher Murphy, £167; Frederick William Holman, £475; Joseph Dillon Morley, £364; Mary Lennox, £133; Peter Lafou, £199; Edward Robert Goodenough, £113; Charlotte Ann Chapman, £202; George Thorne, £220; Ralph Cooper, £150; William Humphries, £300; Edward Coote, £245.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—MONDAY.

(*Before his Honor Mr.* JUSTICE DEFFELL.)

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re William Leslie Legge. The bankrupt made personal application for his certificate. The matter was ordered to stand over until the 1st October, the bankrupt in the meantime to file an affidavit of explanation with regard to the management of his business.

Re W. F. Robertson and J. S. Robertson, ex parte J. S. Robertson. This application and an application ex parte W. F. Robertson were ordered to stand over for six weeks.

Re James Nutman. The application was ordered to stand over for 14 days, bankrupt in the meantime to file an affidavit explaining his affairs.

Re Frederick Robert Rossiter. A certificate was ordered to issue in this case.

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Re Cohen and others v. Benjamin. The petition was, by consent of both sides, allowed to stand over for one week.

Re Allt and Co. v. M'Fadden. The petition was granted, the date of bankruptcy being fixed as 17th July, and Mr. L. T. Lloyd appointed official assignee.

Re T. Williams and Co. v. Martin Lawler, of Moruya, storekeeper. A sequestration order was granted in this case, the date of bankruptcy being fixed on July 28. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.

EXAMINATION OF WITNESSES.

Re Henry Farley Wickes. Mr. H. H. Bradley, on behalf of the official assignee, examined several witnesses in regard to this estate. Marian Rothery gave evidence with regard to the ownership of certain property at the corner of Station-street, Enmore, in which she had an interest. Miss Catherine Amelia Rothery and Maud Flowers, a married sister of the two former witnesses, also gave evidence about the purchase of this property. The examination then terminated.

Re James Martin Green. Insolvent was examined by Mr. E. A. Smith on behalf of the official assignee. He stated that in 1886 he had agreed to advance a certain sum of money to a Mr. Conlan, for which he was to receive interest at the rate of 10 or 15 per cent. per annum. The arrangement, however, had never been carried out, and he had never advanced the £300. He might have seen the document produced relating to this transaction. Never authorised Mr. Nicholson, who conducted the negotiations, to advance any part of this money. S. Nicholson stated that he had applied to the official assignee in this estate to tranfer his interest in certain land at Camperdown and in Exeter-street, a registered deed having been executed for this land in favour of insolvent. Witness had acted for Green in this matter. Green, after agreeing to go on with the matter, had withdrawn from it, but witness had advanced on the land; the advances, however, had not been made in any way on account of Green. Advances had been made before Green had withdrawn from the arrangement—£20 in all—on the supposition that Green was going on with the transaction. The money advanced belonged to witness, and not to Green, and was not repaid by Green. Conlan he believed had agreed to sell the property since then, and witness was to be repaid his advance and costs out of the purchase money. The examination then terminated.

Re Benjamin Charles Morris. Mr. A. Wilkinson, a member of the firm of Wallace and Co., stated that his firm had had some transactions with the bankrupt, which had been of a purely commercial character. On the 17th June, 1886, insolvent owed the firm about £700, and on the 26th August, 1886, about £780, and on the 8th February, 1887, £1500 for goods supplied and money lent. Insolvent had given witness's firm security over certain land at Lady Robinson's Beach. Witness also gave further particulars with regard to his firm's transactions with the insolvent, and the examination terminated.

ADJOURNED CREDITORS' PETITION.

Re Doublett v. Ducasse. Application was made for a sequestration order in this case, which was granted, the date of bankruptcy being fixed as the 5th June, and Mr. E. M. Stephen appointed official assignee.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

George Griffiths Phillips, of Copmanhurst, near Grafton, carpenter. On petition of debtor. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.

Aaron Israel, of Newcastle, boot and shoe maker. On petition of debtor. Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee.

DISTRICT COURT—MONDAY.

(*Before his Honor Judge* DOWLING.)

MEAR V. KURTZ.

The plaintiffs in this case were Charles Mear and his wife, of Larner-street, Balmain, who sued F. A. Kurtz for £21 10s., for money alleged to have been lent to the defendant at his request. The plaintiffs were nonsuited.

RUTHERFORD V. SAUNDERS.

The plaintiff, James Rutherford, residing at Minto, sued the Rev. W. C. Saunders, of the Church of England parsonage, Kogarah, for £37 10s., the amount of money alleged to have been paid by the plaintiff to defendant on the proposed sale of land at Minto, returnable on demand if the sale was not completed. The plaintiff was nonsuited.

THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MANLY V. THOMAS MOORE.

The plaint was entered on behalf of the municipality by Charles James Burns, to recover the sum of £25, money alleged to be due for rates in respect of land and buildings. The plaintiff was nonsuited.

GOLDEN GULLY GOLD-MINING COMPANY V. PARKE AND LACY.

Mr. Gibson, instructed by Messrs. Russell Jones and Co., appeared for the plaintiff company; and Dr. Coghlan, instructed by Mr. Urquhart, appeared for the defendant. The defendants carry on the business of ore crushers and washers, and it was alleged that it was agreed that the defendants should crush and wash for the plaintiffs 1 ton 16cwt. 3qr. 13lb. of quartz ore of clay, and it was agreed that the defendants should give to the plaintiffs all the gold obtained from the ore, and return all the tailings. Yet it was alleged that the defendants did not return the tailings, whereby the plaintiffs lost large quantities of gold, for which they claimed £200. Mr. Gibson, in opening the case, said that the stone from the mine sent to the defendants for assay gave the wonderful return of about 150oz. for the crushing. After the crushing one of the directors of the company went to the defendants' premises to take away the tailings, but found them too damp for transit; but he took away a small quantity which had returned an assay equal to about 40oz. to the ton. Some reference would possibly be made to what was known as "salting." A small quantity of rich stuff had been put into the crushing, but that made the yield all the richer, and the case of the plaintiff all the stronger. When the plaintiff again applied for the tailings it was all gone. Evidence was given in proof of the quality of the quartz, the principal witness being Mr. Scantlebury, who deposed to directing the proceedings of the crushing. He was then an uninterested party, but he afterwards became the holder of 200 shares, for which he gave equivalent to 10s. per share. He denied that the shares were given to him for having "written up" the mine. He was impressed with the assay, and he bought into the mine. He testified to the richness of the quartz, and based his statement upon experience he had gained in Sandhurst as a mining expert. He claimed to have this knowledge of mining matters, although he had been a journalist for 10 years. He denied that the shares were now worthless, and said that the mine had yielded quartz as rich as that crushed, and in respect of which the present claim was made.

The case stands part heard.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

Term List.—Motions generally, motions, &c.: Ex parte J. N. B. Cahill, gent., &c. (to show cause), Chisholm and others v. Strickland (D. C. appeal), ex parte Walsh (to deliver deeds), Knapp v. Metropolitan Permanent Building Association (D. C. appeal), Quigley v. Smythe (D. C. appeal), Noonan v. Pritchard (D. C. appeal), Imray and others v. Griffin (motion for security for costs).

No. 1 Jury Court.—Dibbs v. Daily Telegraph Newspaper Company (part heard).

No. 2 Jury Court.—Melville v. Willis, Peile v. Battye, O'Sullivan v. Vernon, Lethbridge and another v. Harris and another.

The trial of the following cases which have been transferred from No 1 Jury Court to No. 2 Jury Court will commence on Thursday next, the 6th instant, in No. 2 Jury Court:—Bell v. Corbett, Morris v. Pfaff and others, Robertson v. O'Donnell, Coughran v. A. J. S. Bank, Harrison and others v. Creasy, Gray and another v. Clemenson, Horton v. Hyland, Smyth v. Dalgety and Co., M'Clymont v. Stirling, Walsh v. Brock, Davison and another v. Neild, Churchwood v. Parry, Rogalsky v. Wilson, Cramp v. Chudleigh, Oppenheimer v. Thalenhorst, James v. Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company, St. George v. Bennett and another, Wakely v. Montishead, Brown and another v. Keane, Wiseman and others v. Woodhouse, Finlayson v. Clark, MacDermott v. Pollock, Downie v. Jenkins.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before Prothonotary: Howell v. Mercantile Bank, 11; Haynes v. Fletcher. Before Chief Clerk: Galbraith v. Clack, 10.30; Bailey v. Clark, 10.30; in re G. S. Caird and the Real Property Act, 10.45; ditto, 10.45; Cox v. Jennings, 11.

In Equity.—At 10 a.m., before the Full Court: Bowman v. Elder (to fix security). Chancery Square—Before his Honor the Chief Judge, at 10 a.m.: Motions and petitions—Watts v. Cleary (to continue injunction), Rourke v. Schwerkert (to be mentioned), Houghton v. Abigail and another (for judgment), Fairfax and another v. Waterhouse and another (for judgment), Sage v. Glencross (hearing), Dixon and another v. M'Coy (hearing).

Master's Office.—At 9.30 a.m.: Lunacy. At 2 p.m.: Monro v. Goodsell (to proceed on account). Before Chief Clerk, at 11.30: Will of Geo. Brooks (to settle minutes).

In Lunacy.—(Before his Honor the Chief Judge in Equity), at 10 a.m.: Lunacy matters.

BANKRUPTCY BUSINESS.

Tuesday.—Albert Dowton, John Hector M'Donald, George Francis Humphries, George Henry Victor Beckmann, adjourned certificate applications; Morris, Light, and Marquis Connell, ex parte Marquis Connell; Edward Quinlan, Thomas James Stutchbury, and Henry Edgar Hyland, ex parte Thomas James Stutchbury; Joseph Robins, James Roger Blight, David Margulies, William George M'Chose, David Crawley, John Sugden Berry, William Henry Andrews, William Thomson, John Knox, and Andrew Knox, ex parte John Knox, certificate applications; Thomas Wickland, Benjamin Boore, Matthew Mark Daulton, Edward Dysart Tollemache, John Kiernan, adjourned certificate applications.

DISTRICT COURT.—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

(Before Judge Dowling).

Causes: Golden Gully Company v. Parke and another (part heard), Murphy v. Green, Martin v. Mahoney, Gillies v. M'Culloch.

POLICE.

Mr. B. Lee, D.S.M., presided in the Charge branch of the CENTRAL POLICE COURT yesterday. Patrick Austin, 32, blacksmith, convicted of having used obscene language in Glebe-road, was fined 20s., or seven days' imprisonment. Frederick Shepherd, 43, charged with wife desertion, was ordered to contribute 20s. per week for a period of 12 months towards the support of his wife. Lewis Osborne, 32, miner, for stealing a pair of boots, valued at 4s. 11d., the property of Nathan Hart, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. Patrick Walker, 24, cabman, for being drunk and disorderly in Elizabeth-street whilst in charge of a horse and cab, was fined 20s., in default seven days in gaol. Elizabeth Murphy, 23, for having made use of threatening language towards Catherine Murphy, was ordered to pay a fine of £5, or submit to three months' imprisonment. Kate Gallagher, 23, for being drunk and disorderly in George-street, was mulct in the sum of 40s., with the option of seven days' imprisonment. Beamish Dread, 41, and Mary Mitchell, 30, convicted of similar offences committed in George-street West, were each fined 20s., with the alternative of going to gaol for a period of one week. A like penalty was meted out to William Spenceley, 21, ironmoulder, for having behaved in a riotous manner in George-street. Henry Petersen, alias Smith, alias Lewis, was brought up on a charge of vagrancy. He was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour. William Gilmore was charged with assaulting a Chinaman named Charley Wah. His Worship inflicted a penalty of a 20s. fine and 10s. costs; in default 21 days in gaol. The adjourned hearing of a case in which a married woman named Margaret M'Kee proceeded against a man named T. Lankfer, for an attempt to commit a criminal offence, was concluded. Mr. T. Williamson appeared for the accused. After hearing the evidence for the prosecution, also that of several witnesses for the defence, his Worship dismissed the case. Mr. T. K. Abbott, S.M., presided in the Small Debts Court.

Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., presided in the Charge Division of the WATER POLICE COURT. For using indecent language in George-street, John Roberts was mulct in a penalty of 40s., or one month's imprisonment. Alexander Josephs, a cabman, for being drunk in Darlinghurst-road whilst in charge of a horse and cab, was mulct in a penalty of 20s., or seven days' gaol; and for using obscene language in the same locality was fined 40s., or one month's imprisonment; and for assaulting Constable Slater whilst in the execution of his duty was sentenced to one month's hard labour, without the option of a fine. All sentences to be cumulative. Samuel Miles, for being drunk and disorderly and for using indecent language in Day's-terrace, was mulct in sums respectively of 20s., or four days, and 20s., or 14 days' imprisonment. Peter Coffey, for using threatening language towards his wife, Mary Coffey, was bound over to keep the peace for six months in his own surety of £20, or in default two months' imprisonment. Captain A. M. Fisher, S.M., disposed of the cases in the Summons Division. Richard H. Shepherd, by consent, was ordered to pay 10s. per week for 12 months towards the support of his children.

Mr. Marsh, S.M., dealt with the business at the BALMAIN POLICE COURT. Colin Chadwick, for being drunk and disorderly in Beattie-street, was fined 20s., or seven days' imprisonment. Patrick Hogan and William Coulter, for being drunk in Smith-street, were each fined 20s., or seven days' imprisonment. The Sydney Newspaper Company sued M. C. Purtill for £4 10s. for papers sold and delivered. The plaintiffs were non-suited on the ground that the paper was published on Sunday.

CORONER'S INQUESTS.

The City Coroner, Mr. H. Shiell, J.P., held an inquest at the Freemasons' Hall Hotel, York-street, yesterday, touching the death of a woman named Elizabeth Gilchrist, who was found dead at her residence on Saturday morning last. From the evidence adduced, it would appear that the deceased was 52 years of age, a native of New South Wales, and a widow with five children. She resided with her three sons and a nephew at No. 10, Market-row, off York-street. She suffered from indigestion, and on and off during the past six months she had been medically attended by Dr. Steel. She had not been complaining lately. On Friday night last at about 11 o'clock she retired to rest as usual, apparently well, and on the next morning about 7 o'clock her son Sydney, having reason to go through the room in which the deceased slept, found her very pale. He called her, and failing to get a reply shook her and found no signs of life. Dr. Megginson stated that he had made a post-mortem examination of the body of the deceased and found that the heart had undergone fatty degeneration. In witness's opinion this was the cause of death. The jury returned a verdict of death from natural causes.

An inquest was held at the residence of Mr. T. A. de Wolf, "Benare," Thornton-street, Darling Point, yesterday morning, before the City Coroner (Mr. H. Shiell, J.P.), into the circumstances attending the death of Mrs. Blanche Frances de Wolf, whose body was found floating in the water near her residence on Saturday afternoon last. It appears from the evidence that the deceased was 25 years of age, a native of Sydney, and had been married about seven years, and resided with her husband and four children at the above address. Mr. Thomas Andrew de Wolf, stated that he was a merchant; he had lived on the most affectionate terms with his wife, and saw her alive about half-past 8 o'clock on Friday morning last, at which time he left home to go to town; he noticed nothing strange or unusual in her manner, nor had she done anything to lead him to suppose that she contemplated suicide; on witness returning home, he met the nurse in his employ, and she gave witness a piece of paper on which was written, "Good-bye, love; I cannot bear it; I am going to drown myself;" the nurse said that deceased had gone out before lunch, and had not since been seen; the nurse had found the paper produced in the deceased's bedroom; failing to find her whereabouts, he reported the matter to the police, and the deceased's hat was found on the pier at the end of Darling Point-road; the body was discovered on Saturday, and conveyed to the residence of the witness; the writing on the paper was the handwriting of the deceased. Dr. Elsey Fairfax Ross stated that the deceased had been under his care for general weakness, but for no special disease; occasionally she appeared depressed in spirits. Dr. Thomas Nort deposed that he had made a post mortem examination of the body of the deceased, and found no external marks of violence; in his opinion death was due to asphyxia from drowning. The jury, after a brief deliberation, returned a verdict of suicide.

Mr. H. Byrnes, J.P., held a magisterial inquiry on Sunday last, at Beecroft, at the residence of Charles Hilderbrandt, on the body of his wife, Clara Hilderbrandt, aged 31 years, who died on Friday afternoon during confinement. The husband deposed to engaging a woman named Sarah Ann Johnstone to attend his wife on Thursday, and on Friday afternoon the deceased died. The nurse was not a duly qualified one. Dr. Phillips deposed that he had made a post mortem examination, and found that deceased had died from hemorrhage and exhaustion. This might have been avoided had medical attendance been available. Mr. Byrnes found a verdict in accordance with medical testimony.

CANON KEMMIS ON DANTE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—While reading the report in your issue of this morning of the Rev. Canon Kemmis's lecture on "Dante's Purgatorio," and admiring the eloquence of the language, and the subtlety of the criticism, it suddenly struck me that I had read something very like his observations long before. I noticed that the Canon quoted Carlyle twice; and it occurred to me that many of the choice epithets and much of the insight displayed were just what one might have expected from Carlyle. On taking down the latter's little volume "On Heroes and Hero Worship" I was grieved to find that the Rev. Canon had borrowed from the lecture on "The Hero as Poet" most of his eloquence, at any rate, most of it that is reported. Take the observations of the lecturer: "The rev. lecturer next dwelt upon the three great divisions of the commedia, between which existed a close connection, a true inward symmetry, and architectural harmony. The three great compartments mutually supported each other, and formed one huge supernatural world cathedral—solemn, stern, awful and beatific! It came out of the author's heart of hearts. It goes deep through many generations into others." Now, compare with them these words of Carlyle: "A true inward symmetry, what one calls an architectural harmony reigns in it. . . . . The three kingdoms, *Inferno*, *Purgatorio*, *Paradiso*, look out on one another like compartments of a great edifice—a great supernatural world cathedral, piled up there, stern, solemn, awful." (v. p. 85, two-shilling edition.) It will be observed that Carlyle falls a little below the rev. lecturer, as he had not the taste or inspiration to cap his description by the word "beatific." Two lines further on the great Scotch critic beautifully adds: "It came deep out of the author's heart of hearts; and it goes deep, and through long generations, into ours." The Canon has hardly improved the passage by his alterations. A little further on in the report of the lecture we find:—"Often his silence was more eloquent than words; and when he did speak he seized on the very type of a thing with sharp keen grace, snatching the very image of the matter, cutting into it as with a pen of fire." Now hear Carlyle, who had the misfortune to speak nearly 50 years ago, as follows:—"There is a brevity, an abrupt precision in him. . . . One smiting word, and then there is silence, nothing more said. His silence is more eloquent than words. It is strange with what a sharp, decisive grace he snatches the true likeness of a matter; cuts into the matter as with a pen of fire." (On Heroes, p. 86.) The Canon's expression "he seized on the very type of a thing" is taken from a passage of Carlyle which occurs just before the one I have last quoted. It is this: "He has a great power of vision; seizes the very type of a thing."

The Canon goes on: "There was no poor, splenetic, impotent libel in these pages, but much of deepest compassion and love—a tone like the wail of Æolian harps, soft, low, mournful, and thrilling." Let us see how he has here embellished the original, which runs thus: "What a paltry notion is that of his 'Divine Comedy's' being a poor, splenetic, impotent, terrestrial libel. . . . I know not in the world an affection equal to that of Danté. It is a tenderness, a trembling, longing, pitying love, like the wail of Æolian harps, soft, soft." (On "Heroes," p. 88.)

The reverend lecturer told his hearers that "some characteristics of the Commedia were reality, sincerity, fiery emphasis; swift, decisive, graphic movement, vivid portraiture," &c. "Graphic movement" is good—it is a phrase that would have charmed Polonius—and seems to be the result of a judicious blending of the following passages of Carlyle: "The very movements of Dante have something brief; swift, decisive," and Dante's painting is not graphic only, brief, true, and of a vividness as of fire in a dark night" (p. 87).

In an earlier part of your report we read: "Speaking of his portrait commonly attributed to Giotto, the lecturer said it was a most tragic, touching face; the mournfullest ever painted, full of softness and tenderness, yet so stern and implacable withal; the lip curled in god-like scorn; the face that of one wholly in protest and lifelong unsurrendering conflict with the world." At p. 80 of the lectures on "Heroes" anyone who possesses two shillings may read—"That portrait commonly attributed to Giotto, which, looking on it, you cannot help inclining to think genuine, whoever did it. To me it is a most touching face; perhaps of all faces that I know the most so. . . . I think it is the mournfullest face that ever was painted from reality; an altogether tragic, heart-affecting face. There is in it, as foundation of it, the softness, tenderness, gentle affection as of a child; but all this is as if congealed into sharp contradiction. . . . A soft ethereal soul, looking out so stern, implacable . . . . the lips curled in a kind of god-like disdain of the thing that is eating out his heart. . . . The face of one wholly in protest, and lifelong, unsurrendering battle against the world."

At the very beginning of the lecture, Canon Kemmis styles Dante "one of the saints of poetry," an expression to be found at p. 79 of the lectures "On Heroes," and speaks of Dante as dwelling with Shakespeare in "royal solitude;" again doing Carlyle the honour of appropriating his expression, also to be found on page 79. Dante is the great spokesman of the middle ages, says the Canon; so, too, says the ill-fated Carlyle.

Judging from all this, it appears to me that the committee of the School of Arts would have done better to ask Canon Kemmis kindly to read to the "numerous and appreciative" audience Carlyle's remarks on Dante, with extracts from Cary's or Longfellow's translation of the "Divine Comedy," together with the "illustrations from copies of Doré's masterly pictures." I am, &c.,

September 3. T. BUTLER.

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THE REDFERN AND GUNNEDAH ELECTIONS.

Mr. J. A. Martin is definitely announced as the free-trade candidate for Redfern, and his address appears in another part of this issue. Mr. Martin is a native of the colony, is well known in the electorate, and is a son-in-law of the late Mr. J. S. Farnell. He was a candidate at the election of 1885. We understand that yesterday preliminary arrangements were made for contesting the seat, and to-night Mr. Martin will hold his first public meeting in the Redfern Town Hall. Mr. Sutherland has, at Mr. Martin's request, granted a half-holiday for the day of nomination, and a holiday for the entire day when the polling takes place, to the Government employees resident in Redfern.

At a meeting of the Protection and Political Reform League, held last evening, under the presidency of Mr. Scott Ross, the question of the present contests for the vacant seats for the electorates of Redfern and Gunnedah was discussed, and, after a debate in which Messrs. Morgan, Wood, West, Luscombe, Redgate, and the chairman took part, Mr. Redgate moved and Mr. Christian seconded the following motion:—"That this Protection and Political Reform League render all possible help in the present contest at Redfern, and support the candidature of Mr. Peter Howe; and that if more than one protectionist candidate offers for Gunnedah, the secretary of this league write and use his best endeavours to advise our correspondents in that electorate to induce all but one protectionist to retire." On this being put to the meeting, the resolution was carried unanimously.

[By Telegraph.]

(From our Correspondent.)

GUNNEDAH, Monday.

Mr. Turner, the free trade candidate for the Gunnedah seat, is addressing meetings throughout the district. Mr. Poole, the protectionist candidate, holds a meeting at Boggabri on Tuesday, and at Gunnedah on Wednesday. Mr. Clemesha, the other candidate, has not yet announced his views.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I should like, by your permission, through the columns of your valuable journal, to offer a few remarks anent the above election. It is undoubtedly a matter for comment that the free-trade party should be so slow in bringing forward, or rather succeeding in persuading, a good man to come forward, not because he would be opposed by such another (he would not), but because of the approaching nearness of a general election. "Waterloo," in your issue of to-day, seems to think that it would be a sin to oppose the protectionist candidate now in the field so eagerly begging and imploring the suffrages of the electors. Why should he be so earnest to enter Parliament? Is it because, in the exuberance of his own verbosity, he thinks he would be useful to the electorate, or because he is a sincere believer in protection, and thinks it is coming, and aspires to be a "Star"? The protectionists have raised the cry of the fiscal policy with no uncertain sound in all their actions and demonstrations, and most notably by the calico sign carried about the streets, and which is in itself a contradiction. "Waterloo" is on the wrong track, and must not seek sympathy on such lines; and he is also beside himself if he imagines that the free-trade cause should suffer to suit the hero worship of any municipal council.

Freetraders cannot afford to give up the cause to an able and rising young man, whose abilities and talents (when he turns from the error of his political policy) will be of infinite use to his country. Freetraders will fail to notice these expressions, because they are not apparent in the man. And further, we have ample evidence, as shown by the public utterances of some of our best men, both inside and outside Parliament, that it is not to the country's weal to send any other than educated and accomplished men of undoubted position, and the necessary means to enable them to be the possessors of leisure time for the benefit of their country. Such, however, is not the case with the protectionist candidate; he is, to all appearances, very much dependent on the avocation or business which he follows. If I may offer an opinion as to the form displayed by the protectionists in bringing forward a candidate, I would say that it would have been more in accord with good taste if they had refrained from bringing forward a candidate to contest the vacancy caused by the lamented death of Mr. Farnell. It would have been more in accord with "Waterloo's" feelings if a freetrader had been allowed a walkover, under such circumstances. Freetraders, therefore, must be up and doing, and not be so moribund as to enable the "monster" to triumph even in a careless and non-important bye election.

Thanking you in anticipation for the insertion of the above,

I am, &c.,

September 3. REDFERN.

MR. CARRUTHERS, M.L.A., AT ROCKDALE.

Mr. Carruthers, M.L.A. for Canterbury, attended the meeting of the Rockdale Municipal Council on Thursday evening, and at the request of the Mayor (Mr. W. G. Judd) he delivered an address. He said it was his intention to visit the municipalities in the electorate in order to learn their various wants on behalf of his colleagues, and to bring them before Parliament. He had worked hard for the district in the past, and there was nothing that had given him more anxiety than the Forest-road and the other roads in the municipalities. As to the endowment, certain officers in the Roads and Bridges Department refused point blank to give any money this year for roads within municipal limits other than those provided for by the Main Roads Act. Main roads were scheduled every year, and persons were of opinion that a road once on the schedule remained a main road of the colony for ever. The Attorney-General had given his opinion, and the Roads Department acted upon it. He (Mr. Carruthers) was of a contrary opinion, but it would be very unwise to quarrel with the Government, or else, perhaps, the councils would get nothing. The Forest-road was, it had been decided, not a main road of the colony, and last year objection was made to giving any money to roads within municipal limits, but Canterbury nevertheless got votes. Exception was taken by Mr. Crouch, senior member for the Richmond, a colleague of Mr. Ewing, to the vote on the Estimates for Queen Victoria-street. He had heard people say that more was done for Kogarah than for other districts in his electorate, that was wrong. As to the money given for the Rocky Point-road, he had not been consulted, otherwise he would have advocated that the combined councils of Kogarah and Rockdale should have the control of the expenditure of the grant. The whole matter had evidently been managed by some under officer in the Roads Department, without reference to the heads of the department. The time was fast approaching when local self-government must come into force. Then the municipalities or the shire councils would have much more extensive powers of taxation, and the members of the Legislative Assembly would be free to act as statesmen, instead of always running to the Ministers for every petty little thing. The Mayor moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Carruthers, which was carried unanimously.

RAIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—We have had a little rain to-day, but the heavy masses of rain clouds passed away towards the sea. Can any of your readers inform me whether it has ever been tried in any country to have at a very high altitude a station, with a large captive balloon, worked similar to the balloons in Paris during the last exhibition there—the balloon, fitted with all machinery for firing off rockets or guns in the clouds, and working the same when rain clouds are in close proximity?

My ideas are, to have at the highest point on the Blue Mountains an observatory, fitted up with the latest improved barometers, dry and wet bulb thermometers, outdoor, but in a properly protected case—in fact, a complete set of meteorological instruments. The observer to take readings four times daily, and reduce them to mean sea level, and keep the record of such readings carefully, and report same by telegraph daily to Sydney.

In connection with the meteorological station and observatory should be a military station, with a few heavy guns. The staff to assist in working the balloon when required. Try it for two years, then compare the table with the rainfall of places similarly situated; but without the balloon, &c.

In times like the present, when rain would be of such value, every means should be tried to get the desired result, and I firmly believe that if such a station had been in full work to-day, with the wind in the direction it was, that the district between Clarence Siding and Sydney would have had a rainfall of some inches. Let us work as well as pray for rain.

I am, &c., OBSERVER.

THE RAILWAY CROSSING AT ALT-STREET, ASHFIELD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Yet another accident on Saturday at this most dangerous crossing—dangerous alike from the frequency of the trains up and down the line, and the tremendous "pitch" on the north side of the railway; result, a driver thrown violently from and run over by his own 'bus. The horses continue their mad career for two miles, smash up the 'bus as well as a lamp-post, against which they collide, and so injure one of the horses that (if not already done) it will be necessary to destroy the poor animal. It is a happy circumstance, and one for congratulation, that no loss of life occurred, so far as I am at present aware; but is this always going to be so? This accident on Saturday adds another to the many I have witnessed at this spot, and again points out the urgent necessity for a subway. The traffic is immense, and necessarily increases the liability to accident. I suppose when there is a "general smash up," and the Government is called upon for damages about three times as much as it would cost to construct a subway—and come it surely will, with the ever-increasing traffic—the powers that be will wake up and do the work so long requested to be done by deputations and otherwise, and so often promised; after the community has been saddened by a calamitous accident, and the colony called upon to pay three or four times more from the public treasury than otherwise would have been required had this long-needed work been earlier carried out.

I am, &c., ASHFIELD.

MEETINGS.

SCHOOL OF ARTS DEBATING SOCIETY.

A special meeting of the School of Arts Debating Society was held last night. Mr. D. J. Davies (a vice-president) occupied the chair. There were about a dozen members present at the time of assembling, and several objections were made to Mr. Davies presiding. A resolution was proposed that Mr. Mudie take the chair, but Mr. Davies declined to put it, asserting that he took the chair by virtue of being a vice-president. The Secretary read a letter from Mr. Podmore, informing the society that, it having been reported to the committee of the institute by one of the officers of the institution that a disturbance had taken place at a recent meeting, the public would not be admitted to the debates until further notice; and further, that the committee would take an early opportunity of investigating the cause of the disturbance, with a view of deciding whether the club should be any longer permitted to use the hall. Mr. Black proposed,—"That with a view of promoting harmony in the proceedings, all suspensions, however pronounced, be declared null and void." It was agreed to. Mr. Black moved,—"That the secretary furnish that gentleman with a statement of his indebtedness to the club in order that he might present himself for re-election to the vacant office of president." Mr. Richardson moved an amendment,—"That Mr. Gandon be requested to constitute himself a financial member of the club, and resume his position as president." The Chairman ruled the amendment out of order. Mr. Grogan moved as an amendment that they should not ask Mr. Gandon to pay any subscription to the club. Mr. Foote seconded. On being put to the vote, both amendment and resolution were negatived. The club adjourned for a week.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

A meeting of the Senate of Sydney University was held yesterday at the rooms of the Royal Society. There were present—The Chancellor (the Hon. Sir William M. Manning), the Vice-Chancellor (Dr. H. N. MacLaurin), the Hon. E. Barton, Mr. Thomas Butler, Professor Gurney, the Hon. Sir John Hay, Sir Patrick A. Jennings, Dr. P. Sydney Jones, Professor Liversidge, the Hon. William Macleay, Mr. Alexander Oliver, the Hon. Dr. Renwick, Mr. H. C. Russell, Professor Scott, Mr. Cecil B. Stephen, Professor Stephens, Professor Stuart, and the Hon. Mr. Justice Windeyer.

The following warrants were signed, on the recommendation of the finance committee:—Salaries, £1446 8s. 10d.; miscellaneous accounts, £277 11s. 2d.; on private foundation account—fixed deposit, Watt Exhibition, £1000.

The Registrar submitted a report, signed by the Rev. Dr. Kinross, as chairman of a meeting of Convocation held on Saturday, the 1st instant, containing the following resolutions, which had been passed at that meeting:—"1. That the Fellows of the Senate should be elected for a definite term of years, and not for life, but should be eligible for re-election. 2. That the professors should not be *ex officio* Fellows of the Senate, but should be eligible for election. 3. That Convocation other than for the election of Fellows should be summoned at least twice in each year. 4. That Convocation should be empowered to originate any statute or regulation, and recommend the same for the approval of the Senate. 5. That the Senate be requested to obtain the necessary authority from Parliament for giving effect to the preceding resolutions." It was resolved that a special meeting of the Senate be held on Monday, the 24th of September, for the consideration of the proposals contained in the report.

The meeting then proceeded to the appointment of a lecturer in ophthalmic medicine and surgery, for which post applications had been invited by public advertisement. The applications having been duly considered, Professor Stuart moved, and the Vice-Chancellor seconded, the appointment of Dr. F. Antill Pockley. Dr. Jones moved, and Dr. Renwick seconded, the appointment of Dr. Odillo Maher. A show of hands resulted in the election of Dr. Pockley by nine votes to seven.

The meeting then proceeded to consider a report from the Faculty of Medicine, recommending a proposed new medical curriculum. The report was received, and its adoption being moved by Professor Stuart, the Dean of the Faculty, the meeting proceeded to consider it clause by clause. Clause 1 as proposed was as follows:—"Fellows of the Senate who are legally qualified members of the medical profession, the professors and lecturers in the subjects of the medical curriculum, and the examiners in medicine appointed by the Senate, shall constitute the Faculty of Medicine." Dr. Renwick moved,—"That the words 'The Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellor' be inserted at the beginning of the clause." The motion was seconded by the Vice-Chancellor. The Chancellor moved as an amendment,—"That the Senate does not concur in so much of the scheme for amended medical by-laws as proposes that the medical faculty shall be a fixed *ex officio* body, consisting of the 'Fellows of the Senate who are legally qualified members of the medical profession, the professors and lecturers on the subjects of the medical curriculum, and the examiners in medicine'; and resolves, in lieu thereof, that the faculty shall be composed of the chancellor and vice-chancellor, and the dean of the faculty of medicine, appointed as such by the Senate, together with two non-official Fellows of the Senate, and two of the medical professors or lecturers, other than the dean of the faculty, to be from time to time severally and respectively nominated by the Senate for terms of two years." The amendment was seconded by Professor Gurney. Mr. Butler moved the omission of the words "Fellows of the Senate who are legally qualified members of the medical profession." The amendment was seconded by Mr. Oliver. Upon being put to the meeting the amendments proposed by the Chancellor and by Mr. Butler were negatived, and the amendment proposed by Dr. Renwick was carried. The further consideration of the report was allowed to stand over until the next meeting.

An application from Mr. Sidney Dickinson, in which he proposed to deliver a course of lectures upon Art and History, in the University Hall, was referred to the University Extension Lectures Committee for report.

The remaining business on the paper was postponed until the next meeting.

MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

A special meeting of the committee of the Municipal Association of New South Wales was held yesterday afternoon, at the Town Hall. Mr. W. A. Hutchinson, vice-president, presided as chairman. There were also present Messrs. W. H. Simpson, J. Graham, B. Jenkins, T. J. Dickson, C. Jeeson, N. C. Neal, N. G. Bull, W. M. Burns, and F. A. Morgan, secretary.

A communication was received from Alexandria, asking for a portion of the costs incurred (£141 17s.) in the case of that Borough v. Thalberg, to prohibit the erection of a colonnade over the footway, also asking the committee to take action respecting the small endowment granted by Government. In this case the committee decided to pay one-half of the costs as requested, and with regard to the endowment referred to it was resolved to postpone the matter for consideration at the annual session.

A communication was received from Blayney, asking whether the Mayor had acted rightly in causing to be destroyed, under instructions from the Government Medical Officer, the bedding and clothing of a family in which virulent typhoid fever had appeared, and whether the council could be made liable for such act.

In this case the committee decided to ask whether the municipality had passed any bylaws, and if not, to advise them to pay into court a nominal sum, and to stand defendant in the matter in a court of law.

With regard to a communication from Grafton, asking the co-operation and assistance of the Association in an appeal to the Supreme Court against the decision of Judge Murray, that the office of the A. M. P. Society at Grafton is not ratable, the committee decided to send the assurance of the Association to the effect that they would consider the matter in event of the case being proceeded with.

A communication was received from the Ulladulla council, asking whether a person who kept buggies on his premises for hire was liable under the Licensing of Vehicles Act. In this case the committee decided to reply that the person in question was not liable unless the vehicles were plying for hire.

A communication from the Gunnedah Council was received, asking the opinion of the association as to the necessary steps to be taken and what rolls to use at the ensuing municipal election, caused by the ousting of three aldermen owing to mistakes which had occurred in the rolls. The committee advised that fresh rolls be prepared, and that the public should be notified that the rolls previously issued were incorrect.

Other correspondence of less important nature was also dealt with, after which the annual report and balance-sheet to be presented to the annual session was submitted to the committee, and confirmed.

The Chairman stated that he thought it desirable that the association should compile annually statistics in connection with municipal work. This compilation should give an account of the revenue, expenditure, and liabilities of the councils for each year, in order to show the progress of municipal government.

With regard to this matter, the committee ultimately decided to place a motion on the business paper of the annual session to the effect that power be given in the Local Government Bill to enforce the furnishing of this information from the various councils.

LOCAL OPTION LEAGUE.

A well-attended meeting of members of the central committee of the Local Option League was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. Alexander Gow occupied the chair. The lecturer and organiser sent in his report from Young of the work done in that district, where he is now holding meetings with success. The hon. secretary reported that he had attended the seventh anniversary meeting of the Victorian Local Option League, held in Melbourne on the 30th ultimo in the Town Hall, when over 3000 persons were present, and on the following morning 1000 people sat down to breakfast, at which over £1600 were promised to be given to the league. Mr. Knapp was called upon to respond for the visitors. He stated that much enthusiasm pervaded both gatherings. Leading members of Parliament in Victoria and prominent clergy, as well as some of the foremost social public men, spoke warmly in favour of local option. At a conference meeting held subsequently in the Temperance Hall, where there were 238 delegates from all parts of Victoria, many important subjects were dealt with, and important resolutions to push forward their work were unanimously passed. The news of the progress of the Victorian Alliance called forth encomiums from the New South Wales League. It was cordially agreed by resolution,—"That the most effective way in which we can operate as a league, in order to give effect to the resolution passed on the 27th September last by the House of Assembly regarding local option, is to use all our influence to support the Local Veto Bill introduced into the House by Mr. Alexander Hutchison, M.L.A.; to this end an effective agitation should be commenced in Sydney and the suburbs." In consequence of the death of Dr. Marshall, one of the vice-presidents of the league, it was unanimously resolved to write a letter of condolence to his widow. Some other matters were considered, and the meeting terminated.

AUSTRALIAN NATIVES' ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the members of No. 1 branch of the Australian Natives' Association was held last evening in the rooms of the Economic Association, Pitt-street. The president (Mr. B. B. Nicoll) occupied the chair. On the motion of Mr. J. R. Graham, seconded by Mr. R. Thompson, it was decided that a manuscript journal be established in connection with the association, and that Mr. Wilfrid Blackett be requested to act as editor. Mr. E. W. O'Sullivan, M.L.A., was present, and gave an address on "The aims and objects of Australian Nationalism." He believed that in 40 years time the population of Australasia would be 20 millions, and thought it was unreasonable to suppose that so large a number of persons of a progressive race could be ruled by a power at a distance of 16,000 miles. Under those circumstances separation between the mother-country and the Australian colonies must take place before the end of that period. It was a nobler mission for England to be the mother of many nations than to be merely the head of a number of discontented dependencies. The true system of government for the broad and scattered dominions of the English-speaking people was to allow independent government to all its various sections, and to have the whole allied for defensive purposes by an elastic federal tie. He preferred a society that would admit into its ranks every man who had a stake in Australia, whether he be native born or not, but nevertheless he thought the Australian Natives' Association could assist in the work of training the citizens to a full realisation of the important responsibilities that would be cast upon them when they form a part of the Australian nation. The noble work of liberalising their social and political institutions was another of the aims of Australian nationalism. They ought to make Australia a home for the oppressed and downtrodden people of Great Britain and Europe, for they had here a virgin soil in which to plant the germs of true liberalism in all its varied forms. Liberty should be still further enlarged, labour dignified. He had no sympathy with the spread-eagleism taught by the Victorian Natives' Association. They had territory enough in Australasia to employ all the energies of the race for hundreds of years to come, and they ought not, therefore, to begrudge other nations the outlets for their surplus populations in the Pacific. They hold the key of the southern world in the shape of their coalfields, and are certain to dominate the Pacific, no matter who holds New Guinea, Samoa, or the New Hebrides. He denounced the accepting of titles by Australian colonists as antagonistic to the democratic spirit of their institutions. They required no aristocracy here save that of merit, and that needed not such distinctions to mark its presence. The policy of the Australian party might be summed up in a few words: "To create a love for the land of their birth or adoption, and to make its interests paramount to those of all other countries."

In connection with the fêtes and entertainments for the Government destitute asylums, a meeting of the committee was held last night at Mr. Quong Tart's tea rooms. Mr. A. L. Nelson occupied the chair. Offers of assistance were reported from the Croydon amateur minstrels, Mr. A. J. Smith, The Britannia brass band, and Mrs. Innes. Walford, and Sparkes, of Parramatta, give 64 gallons beer, and Mr. Upton 200lb. flour. Donations were reported by Mr. Hugh Taylor, M.L.A., Mr. Uhr, and Mrs. Martin. Friends who have offered to sing at any of the entertainments are asked to send the names of songs for the programmes.

The Protection and Political Reform League of New South Wales held its fortnightly meeting at the Temperance Hall last evening, Mr. R. Scott Ross (the president) in the chair. There was a good attendance. Reports of the protection proceedings throughout the colony were received, and correspondence read. The question of the present contests for seats in Parliament for the electorates was discussed. Mr. Morgan gave the league full particulars of the advancement of the protection movement in Central Australia, this gentleman having recently come from Bourke. He said that the protection cause was well supported there, an association of 70 members being established. After some accounts were passed and the detail work of the league arranged, the members adjourned.

THE CONDEMNED CRIMINAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It is to be hoped, for the credit of the colony, that our Executive will listen to the strong appeals in favour of mercy to poor Hewart that have appeared in your columns. The case of the petitioners' far outweighs any argument that might be urged on the side of extreme punishment. Hewart did not voluntarily seek a victim with secreted knife. When in a state of excitement, with probably less sense about him than a brute, unsearched, he is forced by a reckless constabulary into close confinement with another brute, his previous irritability being thereby intensified. Then followed what might have been expected. I will not suggest that our civilised police of to-day purposely sought diversion by a human dog or cock fight, as their predecessors of a short half-century ago were only too likely to have done; but still the constabulary present did act most thoughtlessly, and such thoughtlessness as leads to homicide has been ruled to be murder. I unhesitatingly affirm that there was premeditation rather on their part than on that of the poor fellow whom in his madness they almost forced into crime. In the appended extracts from the most practical and best trusted of the great English thinkers may be seen to what extent drunkenness is an excuse for crime. I maintain that according to this, after apportioning out against Hewart the utmost of an incomplete blame, there is a large residue of share in the homicide that must be debited against the constabulary. They most assuredly share the fault with Hewart; they morally coerced him, and it would be the height of caprice to deal out double vengeance on the unfortunate wretch, who is only half guilty. The jury agreed to accompany their verdict with an intimation that Hewart was only so far guilty as not to merit extreme punishment. I have still to unlearn (past practice notwithstanding) that their expressed opinion, though misnamed recommendation, is nevertheless a valid portion of the verdict. To persist in treating with contempt such recommendations will simply lead to verdicts on the minor, instead of the capital charges.

Archdeacon Paley's "Moral Philosophy," published 100 years ago, when this genius was at his best—42 years old, continues deservedly to be the text book for English scholars of any pretension. Canon Paley, his father, head teacher in an important college of Yorkshire, prophesied that "he would be a very great man, being by far the clearest head that he had ever met with." After devoting his first two years of Cambridge to more practical studies, in his last year Paley sufficiently mastered the pedantry portion to pass as senior wrangler. Dr. Paley nobly gave up the highest prospects in the Church by not concealing from the royal patron his opinion that "the divine right of kings was on a par with the divine right of constables." And this liberality, so exceptional in those despotic times, is confirmed in the following panegyric regarding the works of the celebrated Locke: "The credit of that great name, the courage and liberality of his principles, the skill and clearness with which his arguments are proposed, no less than the weight of the arguments themselves, have given a reputation and currency to his opinions of which I am persuaded, in any unsettled state of public affairs, the influence would be felt." In the *Encyclopædia Britannica* six and a-half pages are devoted to Bacon, five to Newton, one and a-half each to those most eminent judges Hale and Story, one to Blackstone, three-quarters to Lord Mansfield, while our great countryman Paley is deservedly appreciated in eight pages. The above lengthy preface is essential towards adequately contrasting, in matters of death and justice, the following dictum of Paley with the standstill or even retrogressive practice of an antiquated Bar:—

From Paley's Moral Philosophy; Ch. II., of Duties to Ourselves.—Drunkenness: "It is a question of some importance how far drunkenness is an excuse for the crimes which the drunken person commits. In the solution of this question we will first suppose the drunken person to be altogether deprived of moral agency, that is to say, of all reflection and foresight. In this condition, it is evident that he is no more capable of guilt than a madman; although, like him, he may be extremely mischievous. The only guilt with which he was chargeable was incurred at the time when he voluntarily brought himself into this situation; and as every man is responsible for the consequences which he foresaw, or might have foreseen, and for no other, this guilt will be in proportion to the probability of such consequences ensuing. From which principle results the following rule, viz., that the guilt of any action in a drunken man bears the same proportion to the guilt of the like action in a sober man that the probability of its being the consequence of drunkenness bears to absolute certainty. By virtue of this rule, those vices which are the known effects of drunkenness, either in general or upon particular constitutions, are in all, or in men of such constitutions, nearly as criminal as if committed with all their faculties and senses about them.

"If the privation of reason be only partial, the guilt will be of a mixed nature. For so much of his self-government as the drunkard retains, he is as responsible then as at any other time. He is entitled to no abatement beyond the strict proportion in which his moral faculties are impaired. Now, I call the guilt of the crime, if a sober man had committed it, the whole guilt. A person in the condition we describe incurs part of this at the instant of perpetration; and by bringing himself into such a condition, he incurred that fraction of the remaining part which the danger of this consequence was of an integral certainty. For the sake of illustration, we are at liberty to suppose that a man loses half his moral faculties by drunkenness; this leaving him but half his responsibility; he incurs when he commits the action half of the whole guilt. We will also suppose that it was known beforehand that it was an even chance, or half a certainty, that this crime would follow his getting drunk. This makes him chargeable with half the remainder; so that, altogether, he is responsible in three-quarters of the guilt which a sober man would have incurred in the same action.

"I do not mean that any real case can be reduced to numbers, or the calculation be ever made with arithmetical precision; but these are the principles, and this is the rule, by which our general admeasurement of guilt of such offences should be regulated." I am &c.,

L. FANE DE SALIS.

A parliamentary return issued shows (says the *Pall Mall Gazette*) that the total revenue derived from licenses on the sale of intoxicating liquors and from the inhabited house duty for the last financial year was:—Intoxicating liquor licenses, £1,562,339; inhabited house duty, £1,788,120.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The weights for the handicaps to be decided on the opening day of the Rosehill Spring Meeting were declared yesterday forenoon, and Mr. Scarr's handiwork appears in another part of this issue. Blarney heads the list in the Sprinters' Handicap, with 9st. 7lb., followed by Lady Marion, with a concession of a couple of pounds, both of whom have been allotted more than their share, while Cinderella, Hugo, The Gift, and Albanus have no reason for complaint at their respective weights. In compliment to his good deeds at Tattersall's August Meeting, Bellringer occupies the post of honour in the Hurdle Race, with 11st. 12lb., succeeded by Voltaire, with 2lb. less—quite sufficient to steady them over the two-mile journey; but on figures the prospects of Cellarmar, Marksman, The Arrow, and Wayfarer look bright enough, with Minstrel Boy the best of the top-weights. Keith, with 9st. 7lb., is at the top of the class in the City and Suburban Handicap, but with a more important event looming in the near future it is more than probable that he will be left in his box. Honeydew is nicely in with 9st. 5lb., and only concedes the odd pounds to Pasha, who certainly has none the best of it, while Sloth, Monte Christo, and First Chester have been let off a little easier. The best in appear to be Rebel and Simon, while First Flaneur, Leichhardt, and Lady Marion have not been harshly treated.

The annual meeting of the Wagga Wagga Amateur Turf Club takes place to-day on the local racecourse; and the Bibbenluke sporting folk also bring off their yearly reunion; while the Murtee Point races will be held on Thursday next.

Nominations for the principal handicaps to be decided at the coming meeting of the Broken Hill Jockey Club close this afternoon.

The following scratchings were posted at the office of the A. J. C. yesterday:—A. J. C. Metropolitan Stakes: Recall, Silverton. A. J. C. Oaks: Gentian. H. R. C. Hawkesbury Guineas: Kremlin, by Glorious—Julia.

The brown mare Oceana, by St. Albans from Idalia, 4 years, has been purchased by Mr. John Crozier, through the agency of Mr. T. S. Clibborn, at a satisfactory figure. When sold as a yearling the handsome daughter of St. Albans brought 650 guineas.

Shortly after the appearance of the weights yesterday Scobeloff was withdrawn from the Hurdle Race; later on Brenda and Defiance were scratched for all engagements, and Yellow Jacket was struck out of the City and Suburban Handicap, in connection with the Rosehill spring meeting.

The settlement of wagers over the September meeting of the Canterbury Park Race Club took place yesterday, and passed off satisfactorily, the pencillers, as usual, having all the best of it.

Speculation on the coming events was principally confined to the Rosehill Cup yesterday, when Invader, Elsie, and Lamond came into the market and were fairly supported. The following are the latest quotations:—6 to 1 v. Keith, 8 to 1 each v. Invader, Elsie, and Lamond, 10 to 1 v. Rebel, 12 to 1 each v. Frisco and Monte Christo, 14 to 1 v. Touchstone, 15 to 1 each v. Plutarch and Cardigan. Lyndhurst was accorded some support for the Hawkesbury Handicap, and was backed to win a fair stake down to 100 to 8.

The attention of racing men is directed to the sale of thoroughbred stock announced in our business columns to take place at Fennelly's Bazaar, Pitt-street, to-day. The catalogue includes performers on the flat and cross-country horses, and among the latter the New Zealand-bred quartette—Rouser, by Messenger from Kate O'Shane; Express, by Hibernian from Cigarette; Laverna, by Python from La Vendetta; and Wrangler, by Traducer, show out prominently. The flat racers comprise a fashionably-bred two-year-old filly by Idalium from Rosia; Lady Lovell, by The Drummer from Paradigm; Au Revoir, by Captivator from Adieu (imp.); Yarragon, by St. Albans from Faultless; Capecure, by Marvellous from Zeuta; Eros, by Middlesex from Steam Packet Maid; Polestar, by Warlike from Borealis; and Melanion, by Hawthornden from Atalanta. The hurdle-racers Morley and Mawollock will also be brought under the hammer, besides a lot of well-bred trotters and hackneys. The sale commences punctually at 2 p.m.

Word comes from Melbourne that Cinderella and Lady in Waiting have been struck out of the All Nations Handicap in connection with the opening meeting of the Mentone Racing Club.

Pencillers who intend doing business at the Hawkesbury Spring meeting should note that applications for registration must be lodged with the secretary, Mr. C. S. Guest, not later than 4 p.m. on Monday next, and that none but those registered will be allowed to follow their vocation either in the saddling paddock or in the leger reserve.

The Murrumbidgee Turf Club have framed a very attractive bill of fare for their spring reunion, which has been set down for November 21 and 23. The management have acted judiciously in reducing the meeting to two days, and should reap a corresponding benefit. There are half-a-dozen events to be decided each day, so that the interest will not be allowed to flag, and the prize list is sufficiently liberal to attract large nominations. Mr. R. Cox, of Marrar Station, has generously presented the club with the trophy, value 100 sovs., which supplements the added money of 200 sovs. for the Wagga Gold Cup, the principal prize of the gathering, and the programme includes a Hurdle Race, Steeplechase, Town Plate, and Lady's Bracelet, in addition to the Derby, Sires' Produce Stakes, Second Foal Stakes, a couple of Selling events, Flying and Mile Handicaps, while the added money totals £1290.

The thoroughbred stallion Lord Loftus, by Yattendon from Lady Constance, who has been doing stud duty in the Richmond River district, has gone to the New England district.

The Patrick's Plains Jockey Club have decided on the programme for their coming meeting on October 10 and 11. Five races are down for decision on each day, and the added money totals £310. Numbered saddlecloths have been ordered, and the committee have been instructed to enlarge the saddling paddock prior to the gathering.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs that 2 to 1 has been taken about Volley for the Derby for all the money offered and wanted.

ROSEHILL RACING CLUB SPRING MEETING.

The following weights have been declared for the handicaps to be decided on the first day of the Rosehill Spring Meeting:—

Sprinters' Handicap.—6 furlongs.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Blarney	9	7	Claremont	7	7	Bluenose	6	7
Lady Marion	9	5	Iona	7	7	Bolero	6	7
Cinderella	8	10	The Miner	7	4	La Valetta	6	4
The Gift	8	7	Monarch	7	4	Orphan Queen	6	4
Albanus	8	4	Savant	7	2	Glentworth	6	4
Hugo	8	2	Young Kingston	7	2	Zephyr	6	2
Newmarket	8	0				Ustane	6	2
Queen Victoria	7	12	Stockwell	7	0	Herbina	6	2
Tilburn	7	12	The Bass	7	0	Patient	6	0
Mitchell	7	10	Scatterfield	6	9	Tethys	6	0
Malta	7	10	Falsetto	6	9			

The Hurdle Race.—Two miles.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Bellringer	11	12	Marksman	9	12	Cardiff	9	3
Voltaire	11	10	Scobeloff	9	10	Cellarmar	9	3
Minstrel Boy	11	7	Baffler	9	7	Coercion	9	0
Cracksman	11	0	Ayrshire (late Commotion)	9	7	Lincoln	9	0
Garnet	10	10				Sweetbriar	9	0
Sterling	10	7	Native	9	5	Sultan	9	0
The Arrow	10	3	Major	9	5	Exchange	9	0
Wayfarer	10	0						

The City and Suburban Handicap.—1 mile.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Keith	9	7	Pirate	7	12	Elcho	6	12
Honeydew	9	5	Burrilda	7	10	Queen Victoria	6	11
Pasha	9	0	Nonsense	7	8	Amina	6	10
The Queen	8	12	Simon	7	8	Maggie	6	8
First Chester	8	10	Harold	7	6	Faith	6	8
Sloth	8	8	Eyry	7	6	Butterfly	6	6
Monte Christo	8	6	Rebel	7	4	Krupp	6	6
Lady Marion	8	4	Jack	7	4	Lady Roodee	6	4
Leichhardt	8	4	Wycombe	7	2	Gefahr	6	4
First Flaneur	8	4	Locksley	7	2	Rosethorn	6	2
Kisie	8	2	Melos	7	0	The Bass	6	2
Yellow Jacket	8	2	Blucher	7	0	Bluenose	6	0
Phaon	8	0	Newmarket	7	0	Melbury	6	0

[By Telegraph.]

(From our Correspondents.)

THARGOMINDAH JOCKEY CLUB.

THARGOMINDAH, Monday.

The following are the nominations for the Thargomindah Jockey Club spring meeting:—

Spring Handicap.

Handover	Water Lily	Johnny Sam	Jester
Leo	Friendless	After Dark	Foxglove
Try Again			

Flying Handicap.

Handover	Water Lily	After Dark	Jester
Leo	Friendless	Valentine	Foxglove
Try Again	Cash Down		

Steeplechase.

Broker	Cash Down	Cardinal	Warambah
Tozer			

SOUTH GUNDAGAI RACE CLUB.

GUNDAGAI, Monday.

At a meeting of the newly-formed race club at South Gundagai last Saturday, it was decided to hold the first annual races on the 2nd November next. A programme amounting to over £100 will be issued in a few days.

COURSING.

The coursing for the Rosehill Cup and Purse commences at the Rosehill Plumpton at noon to-day, when the first round in each stake will be run through. The entry is full, and it was found necessary to decline several nominations which were in excess of the number required—64. Some incomplete nominations were also returned. The following is the draw:—

Rosehill Cup.

Una v. Shylock	Lord Carrington v. Flageolet
Sydney v. Elladale	Sloth v. Gipsy
Titmouse v. Disturbance	Forest King v. Bendigo
Ruby v. A. E.	Peppermint v. Hettie
Shy Girl v. Provoke	Two-and-a-Half (late Wanganui) v. Lady of the Lake
Tassifera v. Chance II.	Tryon v. Sealed Packet
Beryl v. Bligh	Harvest Lass v. St. Winifriede
Huon Belle v. Bannockburn	Rosette v. Bumerang
Bowral v. Waitaki	Petrea v. Chance
Paugh-a-Ballagh v. Maid of Kent	Polly Gray v. Invader
Veno v. Black Bess	Forget-me-Not v. Fireworks
Bonnie Pat v. Rose of England	Royal v. Bridget
Sylvia v. Matchlock	Bedford v. Mignonette II.
Retort v. Casino	Shotover v. Lamont
Krupp v. Rosalie	Beppo v. Black Tom (late Perambulator).
Laburnum v. Yellow Girl	
Black Levy v. Dido	

CRICKET.

The annual meeting of the Old Newingtonian Cricket Club was held on Monday evening, at the Oxford Hotel. Mr. S. W. Moore, M.L.A., vice-president, occupied the chair, there being about 20 members present. The chairman stated that no report would be presented, owing to the difficulty of getting the committee together. He might, however, state that the club played 12 matches last season, winning five, drawing four, and losing three. The only matches lost were those in which the club was not properly represented. The membership list comprised 26 names, but a much larger one was anticipated this season. The treasurer's statement showed a credit balance of £1 9s. 6d. The balance-sheet was adopted. The principal averages in the playing list laid before the meeting were:—Batting: Sawkins, 14·9; Colquhoun, 12·3; Murray, 9·5; Loveridge, 9·1. Bowling: Golledge, 3; S. W. Moore, 4·2; A. Perry, 6; Robson, 6·19. The following officebearers were elected:—Patron, Rev. J. H. Fletcher; president, Mr. J. Coates; vice-presidents, Mr. S. W. Moore and Dr. Hurst; secretary, Mr. Sawkins; treasurer, Mr. Warden; committee—Messrs. Robson, Loveridge, Warden, Halligan, A. E. Moore, A. Waterhouse, and Wolstenholme. Trophies were offered by Messrs. Warden and S. W. Moore, and a vote of thanks to the chairman terminated the meeting.

Oriental and Surry United met on Saturday at Moore Park. The Surry captain won the toss, but allowed the Orientals to occupy the wickets first. Neither team was fully represented. The following were the scores:—

Oriental.

F. Laland, b Gosnell	26	W. Fraser, st Hume, b Ironside	14
S. Merrick, c Gosnell, b Thompson	2	F. Michell, c sub, b Brewster	2
W. Camphin, l b w, b Hume	37	E. Ivery, b Searle	1
H. Donnan, c Thompson, b Brewster	45	Riedy, b Ironside	2
H. Meagher, b Hume	0	Sundries	7
F. Shepherd, not out	17	Total	153

Bowling Analysis.—Hume, two wickets for 40 runs; Brewster, two for 20; Ironside, two for 25; Thompson, one for 13; Gosnell one for 19; Black, none for 12; Anderson, none for 10; Searle one for 0.

Surry United.

E. Gosnell, b Merrick	5	E. Hume, not out	7
F. Thompson, b Merrick	2		
R. Brewster, not out	7	Total for two wickets	21

Bowling Analysis.—Merrick, two wickets for 13 runs; Meagher, none for 8.

FOOTBALL.

The return match between St. Ignatius College and the Second Sydney took place on Saturday on the college ground at Riverview. The game resulted in a decisive victory for the collegians, who kicked 8 goals and 25 behinds to their opponents 1 goal and 5 behinds. For St. Ignatius M'Gwern and O'Neil kicked 2 goals each, while Rankin, Sheridan, O'Loghlen, and Hardman got 1 each. Glynn scored the goal for the Sydneys.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The remaining heats of the first round of the Sir Joseph Banks Handicap will be run off this afternoon at Botany. The various heats yesterday were well contested, and to-day's running is looked forward to with interest. Many of the heats to-day should result in good contests, and the success of the plan of fivemen competing in each heat has been fairly demonstrated. No particular favourite has been made yet—100 to 5 being the ruling price. The first heat is notified to start at 3.15 this afternoon.

SIR JOSEPH BANKS HANDICAP.

A very large number of lovers of pedestrianism attended Botany on Monday afternoon to witness the first day's running of the 17th Grand Handicap. The sport was very interesting, most of the heats having close and exciting finishes. A new feature in pedestrianism introduced by the proprietor of the Botany grounds is the running of five men in each heat. This has clearly proved a beneficial change, inasmuch as it shortens the time taken to run through a handicap. The new track worked well yesterday, and from the compact manner in which it has been laid down it should be equal to any of the others. The performances of Brewer, Morrissey, and Howard entitle them to a fair chance in the final. Weekley also won a well-contested heat, beating Samuels by half a yard. The following are the details of the various heats:—

First Heat.—T. Budd, 38½ yards, 1. Other starters: E. Hillyard 36½, W. J. Bell 40, H. R. Ball, 38. Time, 11 3-5 seconds.

Second Heat.—J. F. Small, 37 yards, 1. Other starter: R. Fairweather, 38. Time 12 1-5 seconds.

Third Heat.—L. A. Cassimer, 33 yards, 1. Other starters: T. Collins 40, J. Connor 37. Time, 12 1-10 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—E. S. Skinner, 36 yards, 1. Other starters: S. Donovan 35½, P. M'Mahon 41, W. Bartlett 38½. Time, 11 4-5 seconds.

Fifth Heat.—J. Brewer, 36½ yards, 1. Other starters: W. Moore 35, J. T. Cavanagh 39, F. A. Brown 38½, C. Belletto 37. Time, 11 3-5 seconds.

Sixth Heat.—T. Little, 37½ yards, 1. Other starters: A. Chapman 42, H. Darling 38, P. Garrety 40, C. A. Dunn 40. Time, 11 4-5 seconds.

Seventh Heat: G. A. Studdart, 37 yards, 1. Other starters: A. Wall 38, Joe W. Byrne 39, F. Russell 39, E. G. S. Foster 41. Time, 11 7-10 seconds.

Eighth Heat.—T. W. Cant, 41 yards, 1. Other starters: H. Fredericks 42, A. Church 34. Time, 11 2-5 seconds.

Ninth Heat.—A. H. Howard, 39½ yards, 1. Other starters: C. Maranoa 35, J. M. Cameron 38, W. K. Jackson 38. Time, 11 7-10 seconds.

Tenth Heat.—J. Malone, 36½ yards, 1. Other starters: G. Aldridge 40, S. J. Ingram 39, H. W. Thompson 40. Time, 12 3-5 seconds.

Eleventh Heat.—Joe Price, 33 yards, 1. Other starters: A. Robinson 38, J. M. Black 39, C. Werry 39. Time, 11½ seconds.

Twelfth Heat.—G. Smith (Summer Hill), 41 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Kenna 38½, G. Smith (Moss Vale) 34½. Time, 11 3-5 seconds.

Thirteenth Heat.—J. P. Byrne, 40 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Sharpe 38, J. Goodliff 36½, G. Stettler 40. Time 11 4-5 seconds.

Fourteenth Heat.—F. Weekley, 38 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Armstrong 40, W. Curtin 40, C. Samuels (a.) 30, J. Tasker 34½. Time, 11 3-5 seconds.

Fifteenth Heat.—M. V. Morrissey, 36½ yards. Other starters: J. Logan 37, W. Read 36. J. J. Grogan 39. Time, 11½ seconds.

Sixteenth Heat.—H. M'Darra, 39 yards, 1. Other starters: J. Hines 39, A. Trinder 33, E. L. Simpson 38½, M. Hilton 38. Time, 12 seconds.

Seventeenth Heat.—C. Kappler, 36½ yards, 1. Other starters: H. Foy 38, F. J. Gorman 37. Time, 11 9-10 seconds.

Eighteenth Heat.—P. Monaghan, 36 yards, 1. Other starter: J. Harrison, 36½. Time, 12½ seconds.

ASHFIELD AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB'S SPORTS.

The following are the handicaps for the Ashfield Amateur Athletic Club's sports, to be held on Saturday, at the Ashfield Recreation Ground:—

150 Yards Handicap.—W. H. Phillips, S. A. Jordan, scratch; W. J. Rooney, 4; C. J. Morgan, K. L. Street, J. Nobbs, 6; P. Graham, T. S. Lennard, 6½; W. J. Miles, E. Davies, A. Middleton, 7; G. F. Williamson, H. St. George, 8; R. G. Maiden, 9; E. Sedgwick, 10; L. H. Addison, W. C. Kerr, 11.

200 Yards Handicap (Bracelet).—G. Maiden, jun., scratch; W. H. Phillips, S. A. Jordan, 6; L. Fagan, 8; W. J. Rooney, 9; H. S. Bassetti, E. Davies, 12; K. L. Street, G. W. Dight, P. Graham, J. B. Flegg, R. A. Quodling, E. C. Robinson, C. J. Morgan, J. Nobbs, J. O'Neill, 15; T. W. Henderson, H. Evers, E. J. Hilder, 14; W. J. Miles, R. Vicars, 15; J. H. Robison, G. F. Williamson; R. G. Maiden, 16; A. W. Relph, 17; L. H. Addison, W. C. Kerr, 18.

Half Mile Handicap.—H. Evers, scratch; S. A. Jordan, 15; F. S. Brierly, E. Sedgwick, E. S. Walker, 25; W. J. Miles, P. Graham, 30; G. F. Williamson, 35; A. W. Relph, 40; S. W. Devlin, 60.

400 Yards Steeplechase.—W. H. Phillips, scratch; G. C. Addison, 15; E. C. Robison, 20; W. J. Miles, 25; R. Vicars, 30.

120 Yards Hurdle Race.—G. Maiden, jun., owes 12; S. A. Jordan, owes 9; G. C. Addison, owes 8; J. Nobbs, J. H. Fagan, owes 7; J. H. Robison, owes 5; G. W. Dight, T. S. Lennard, owes 4; R. G. Maiden, W. C. Kerr, owes 3; L. H. Addison, owes 2.

440 Yards Handicap (open).—H. Schwarzkoff, scratch; C. T. Morath, 5; D. M'Clelland, 7; D. J. Keny, 9; L. H. Morgan, 10; W. J. Rooney, 9; J. B. Cummings, 13; K. L. Street, P. Graham, 15; J. E. Morris, E. J. White, 16; J. N. Simpson, R. A. Quodling, 17; L. F. Wicks, 19; E. J. Hilder, 20; J. L. Henderson, 22; W. S. Gray, 23; J. D. Stewart, 24; W. J. M'Encroe, 25; W. Herron, C. J. Morgan, 18, J. Thacker, 30.

One Mile Handicap (open).—M. Evers and F. W. Brierly, scratch; E. W. Gillies, 25; R. J. White, E. W. Ensor, 35; L. H. Morgan, J. H. B. Martin, C. H. King, F. Bettison, 40; F. S. Brierly, G. Green, E. G. Dobson, R. Coombes, 45; J. L. Henderson, A. Morgan, 55; T. J. Kelly, W. E. Talston, 60; W. J. Miles, 65; S. W. Devlin, 85; W. Maloney, 90.

One Mile Walking Handicap (open).—F. Bettison, scratch; J. J. Gilinan, 15 seconds; S. Best, A. Morgan, W. Bullock, 25; A. E. Bennett, R. Smyth, R. Weston, R. Coombes, 30; D. Kerr, T. S. Lennard, 35; W. H. Barker, 50.

200 Yards All Schools Handicap (open).—A. N. Miles, scratch; E. Kickham, 6; O. Kong Sing, 8; M. H. Cleve, 9; G. Morris, 10; A. Wolfe, 11; H. Jenneret, 12; H. A. Smith, 13; R. D. Paterson, T. W. Breckenridge, 16; A. G. Corbin, 10; R. Fowler, 20; Fred. Brierly, 22.

Three Miles Bicycle Handicap (open).—T. P. Jenkins, scratch; H. A. Mutton, 90; G. W. Whatmore, 150; E. M'Donald, A. Kinnamont, 170; F. T. Davies, 210; E. R. Daunt, 270; E. A. Pearson, 340; G. H. Williams, 360; G. Tombs, 365; G. Corkhill, 400.

AQUATICS.

Lyons' Handicap Skiff Race.

The first, second, and third heats in connection with this race took place, on Middle Harbour, last Saturday afternoon, and despite the unfavourable state of the weather, a crowd of persons assembled on Folly Point, in addition to a number who took advantage of the steamers that followed the races, which were all well contested. Messrs. F. Punch and P. Connolly acted as umpire and starter respectively; and Messrs. C. Lyons and T. S. Donald as judge at either end of the course. The first heat was rowed from Lyons' Wharf to a boat moored off the spit, a distance of about a mile and a half. There being four competitors in this race it was decided to allow the first and second men to row in the final. W. Lyons, 75lb., 1; C. Dutch, 40lb., 2; S. Booth, 45lb., 3; E. Dew, 75lb., 4. Lyons was first away, followed by Booth and Dew, Dutch last. When they all got fairly going, Dutch, before a quarter of a mile was reached, had got into second place, and then a good race took place between him and Lyons. Nearing the Quaker's Hat Dutch drew ahead of Lyons, Booth third, and Dew a long way astern. Here Dutch, who had a bare length's lead, crossed Lyons and took the latter's water. After going a little further he again tried to cross Lyons, when a foul occurred. Booth seeing this spurted, and drew upon the leader. Lyons was again first away, and despite the determined efforts of Dutch, he was unable to catch the leader, who won by about six lengths from Dutch, who beat Booth by a couple of lengths for second place, Dew a long way astern. The second heat was rowed from the Spit to Lyons' Wharf, W. Anderson, 100lb., 1; G. Williams, feather, 2; R. Green, 75lb. 3. This was the best contested race. Williams went away with the lead, closely followed by Anderson and Green; the latter, though rowing a nice stroke, could not get enough pace out of his boat to keep with the others, and consequently soon fell in the rear. Anderson, when half the distance had been covered, began to draw upon the leader, who spurted gamely, but Anderson, who was too strong for his opponent, won by two lengths with Green a long way last. Third Heat: Course same as the first heat.—H. Byron, 15lb., 1; W. Anderson, 55lb., 2; C. Reynolds, 120lb., 3. All the men got away well together, Reynolds at once going to the front, followed by Anderson and Byron. When they had gone half a mile, Byron passed Reynolds, and went away at a great pace. Anderson now began to draw upon Reynolds, and a tight race ensued for second place, not a foot separating the two boats for nearly half a mile. Byron by this time had such a long lead that it was impossible for the others to catch him. Reynolds began to tire, and Anderson, having completely rowed him down, went in pursuit of the leader, but was unable to catch him, and Byron spurted home an easy winner.

Next Saturday afternoon the final heat will be rowed off between H. Byron, 15lb.; W. Lyons, 75lb.; C. Dutch, 40lb.; W. Anderson, 100lb.

The second deposit of £100 in connection with the race between H. Searle and C. Nelson, to be rowed on the 14th instant, was paid over to the stakeholder, Mr. John E. Myers, last evening.

A match has been arranged by Mr. John Deeble in which Chris. Nelson is to row Neil Matterson over the championship course on September 26 for a stake of £200, half of which amount is to be contributed by each side. Mr. John E. Myers, as the stakeholder, received the first deposit of the money, £100, last evening.

PIGEON-SHOOTING.

On Friday last the fifteenth competition for the New South Wales Gun Club trophy, to be won twice, took place at the club's grounds at Botany. Mr. H. M. Woodhouse became the winner, owing to his having won a competition previously. The following were the principal scores:—

H. M. Woodhouse* (32)	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1
Saltbush* (30)	1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0
Lockwood* (32)	1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0
Clarke* (28)	1 1 1 1 1 0 0 a
Carleton* (31)	1 0 1 1 1 1 0 a
W. Morris (24)	1 0 1 1 1 0 a
G. B. Modini (31)	1 1 0 1 1 0 a
H. E. Lord (32)	1 1 0 0 a
F. Smidmore (25)	1 0 1 0 a
J. Sheldon (22)	1 1 0 0 a
Williams* (25)	1 1 0 0 a

* Assumed name. a Retired.

Four miss-out sweeps were shot off, with the following results:—1st sweep, Mr. Clarke* won; 2nd sweep, Mr. J. Hickson won; 3rd sweep, Messrs. Clarke* and Carleton* divided; 4th sweep, Messrs. P. Glennister and Carleton* divided.

ENGLISH CHILD MARRIAGES.

(*From the Civil and Military Gazette.*)

The Infant Marriage question in India, with all its attendant evils and hardships, is now notorious throughout the civilised world, and was the subject of a discussion in the House of Lords. The Rajpootana Princes have set a good example in reforming the prevailing custom, and great progress in the same direction is undoubtedly being made in many parts of India. All sensibly minded people, both natives and European, are in favour of the extinction of the custom; but not a few, we imagine, would be considerably astonished to hear how comparatively recently our own social annals disclose the frequency of equally juvenile unions in England and Scotland. We do not refer to those well-known instances of Princes and Potentates being contracted in marriage whilst still children, and for grounds of State alone, but to the general custom, in other classes, to as late a date as the last two centuries. These marriages were not mere betrothals, but genuine marriages, celebrated "in the face of the Church," and duly solemnised "according to the Book of Common Prayer." Perhaps the youngest bride on record in English annals was a daughter of Sir William Brereton, who was married in the 16th century at the age of two, to a husband who was a year older than herself. In this case the children were carried into church, and their elders spoke for them. But in another case, where a little boy of three was married to a bride of five, he was carried by the clergyman, who coaxed him to repeat the necessary matrimonial formulas. The task was not easy, however, as the child said he had learnt enough lessons for that day before he was half through—and was only kept up to it by the priest saying:—"You must speak a little more, and then go play you." In a further instance recorded in Lancashire, the bridegroom was bribed to go to church by the present of an apple! Frequently the brides were a year or two older than their lords and masters; as in the case of Margery Vernon, who in 1562—she being nearly ten years old—was married to Randle More, who was but eight. Another record tells us how Gilbert Gerrard and Emma Talbot were married at Leigh Church, when the boy's uncle held up the bridegroom, who was five years old, and spake the words of matrimony for the child's part; and the woman—who was not six years of age—"spake for herself, as she was taught." It seems incredible that during the reigns of Henry VIII., Edward VI., Queen Mary, and Queen Elizabeth, it was quite customary for persons of all ranks in life to marry their children at astonishingly early ages. But the Bishop's Registry at Chester—not to speak of local records in all parts of England—could testify to many instances—instances, too, amongst people anxious for the intellectual progress of their day, and amongst whom sordid reasons for such marriages were not supposed to exist.

William Chaderton—successively Bishop of Chester and Lincoln—a well-known scholar and distinguished ecclesiastic of the reign of Elizabeth, and who was notable for the encouragement he gave to ministers, and his zeal in establishing lectureships and daily morning prayer—did not scruple to marry his daughter Joan, in 1582, at the age of nine, to Richard Brooke, then nearly 11.

Four years later the marriage was ratified—as was usual in such cases—by the consent of the young people; the lengthy documents testifying to the ratification being still extant in the records of Chester. Unfortunately their calf love did not develop into an enduring love; and 20 years later we read that the Bishop had "no great comfort of that matrimony" of his only daughter, and that she was separated from her husband.

It sometimes happened, when years of consent were attained, *i.e.*, 12 for the girl, and 14 for the boy—that the child-bride and child-bridegroom disliked each other so heartily that they refused to ratify the contract; and then an action for divorce was undertaken, and the marriage declared void. Juvenile marriages in those days were always voidable, fortunately; and where it could be proved that there had been no renewal of promise, no exchange of gifts, no message or meeting between the children, the union was annulled, and each was set free. The Divorce Court was at that time the scene of many appeals from the most youthful couples, until about the beginning of the 17th century, when Strype notes that "the nation became scandalous for the frequency of divorces, especially among the richer sort; and one occasion was the covetousness of the nobility and gentry, who used often to marry their children when they were young boys and girls, that they might join land to land; and being grown up they many times disliked each other, and then separation and divorce followed, to the breaking of espousals and displeasure of God."

The same practice of child-marriage seems to have been customary in Scotland if we may judge from an Act of Assembly, dated 1600, which was intended "to correct divers and great inconveniences arising by the untimeous marriage of young and tender persons," and ordered "that no minister presume to join in matrimony any persons in time coming except the man be 14 years of age and the woman 12 complete." This did away with actual baby marriages, but not with those which we should now consider most juvenile. For in Mr. Chambers's "Domestic Annals of Scotland" we find that the record of a marriage of a certain Adam French, of Thorndyke, in November, 1615, at the age of 14, and in 1618 of the fact that "Mr. John Guthrie, minister of Perth, on one Sunday after the afternoon's sermon married the Master of Sanquhar with Sir Robert Swift's daughter, an English Knight of Yorkshire. Neither parties exceeded 13 years of age." Mr. Chambers also gives several instances of the breaking of the law of 1600, and notes that a "gentleman of ancient family and good account were not above using the basest tricks, or the grossest violence, in order to secure by marriage the fortune of some helpless young heiress of 11 years of age." Thus in the annals we find recorded that in A.D. 1659, the Countess of Buccleuch, a child of 11 years of age, was married to Walter Scott, a youth of 14; that in 1685, Janet Pringle, an heiress about 20 years of age, was carried over the Border and married to her cousin, Andrew Pringle, a boy of 13, and so forth; giving other instances which prove that the English side of the Border was used in the 17th century as Gretna Green on the Scottish side was in more recent days; and that, moreover, the majority was attained according to the English law before the age of 12 years, which was the Scottish limit.

No doubt fortune-hunting was the immediate, if unacknowledged, cause of these infant marriages; and when public opinion put a stop to the practice, a social custom, more comical, and at the same time more patent to the world in general, arose. The custom of advertising the fortunes of young ladies was but of short duration, however—perhaps from the disappointments caused by exaggerated promises, or perhaps from frauds as seemingly innocent as that of the old Glasgow merchant, who announced a large portion to each of his daughters on marriage, and when the bait had taken the daughters were married; and when he, as the happy father, was asked to disburse, pleaded for his non-performance an inadvertency in having at that time added the "year of God into the balance-sheet of his property as pounds sterling."

Mr. Leary, the American who built the great log-raft last December, has (says an English contemporary, July 26) repeated the experiment in a different form. Since February 300 men have been busy at Port Joggins, Nova Scotia, building a log-ship, lashing together huge timbers into a cigar-shaped mass somewhat resembling a vessel. It is 700ft. long, 65ft. wide, 38ft. deep, and contains 30,000 logs, from 40ft. to 90ft. in length, and 1ft. to 2ft. in diameter, mostly pine and cedar. Seventy-five tons of steel-wire rope, 1½in. and 2in. thick, were used for lashing, together with stout saplings. The timber is valued at 50,000dol. It would require 150 schooners to transport the contents. The monster fabric has been ready for launching during the past three weeks, but the builders were awaiting the high tide, which at that point on July 25 every year reaches a height of over 60ft. When it was at the highest point yesterday at noon over 100ft. of the raft were floating. Then at a given signal 100 heavy check-blocks were knocked away, and the 20,000 tons of logs slid gracefully into the water. The largest and strongest tug in the neighbourhood was in readiness to make fast and towed them out into the bar. Two powerful tugs will be employed to tow this novel ship to New York city. It is thought that it will be under way in three days, and that with fair weather it will reach its destination in 10 days. Owners of vessels will watch the project with interest, for if successful it will detract largely from their carrying trade.

Grey hairs are respectable, but, like poverty, often inconvenient. Mrs. S. A. Allen's World's Hair Restorer never fails to restore grey hair to its youthful colour and beauty. It removes dandruff, strengthens the hair, and cleanses the scalp.—[Advt.]

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PARISIAN GOSSIP.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, JULY 27.

President Carnot has returned from his tour, which was an uninterrupted succession of welcome and ovations, conclusively proving that the great body of the French people are bent on maintaining the present regime, not, perhaps, from any great affection for the Republic, but because the Republic having been set up, and having held its own for 18 years, it is better to retain it than to rush into some new experiment that may lead to worse rather than better. M. Carnot has proved himself to be an honest man, and a patriot in the sense of one desiring to keep France on good terms with her neighbours, and thus able to attempt the orderly improvement of troublesome matters within her own borders.

While the President has thus been diligently inquiring into the needs and wishes of the regions he has visited, winning confidence and respect on all hands for himself and the Government of which he is the head, "the General"—slowly recovering from his serious wound, able to be brought back three days ago to his own residence in this city, but still a prisoner in his bedroom—has been ignominiously defeated in two departments, dropped out of sight in a third, and is probably destined to similar failures in others, as his friends still declare his (and their) determination to set him up as a candidate wherever a vacancy occurs. They and he, now openly qualify this action as the pursuit of a plebiscitum which should place him (and them!) at the head of affairs. And in proportion as this Cæsarian dictatorship becomes more clearly the aim of Boulanger and his friends, "Boulangism" becomes more evidently a thing of the past. It will doubtless give the Government some little trouble when the Chambers meet after their present holiday; but it seems unlikely to assume again the form of a serious danger.

Several useful exhibitions, hygienic and others, are open and prospering; the yearly examinations at the Conservatory of Music, at the School of the Beaux-Arts, &c., are exercising masters and pupils equally; all who can get away from Paris are gone or going. The dogs that have been dragged through the streets, held in with chains or strings, for the last six weeks, have now (most unwisely) been let loose again, and cases of rabies, which had greatly diminished during that period, will probably now arise to their former alarming numbers.

The Emperor William's visit to Peterhoff has been the leading subject of speculation here; and his visits to the other courts will continue to exercise the French mind, though not to the same extent, the desire of the French to reverse the conclusion of the late war with Germany being at the bottom of their new affection for the Northern Power, without whose help they cannot hope to accomplish it. It is now understood that the visit of Kaiser William to his powerful cousin has not been made for the purpose of arranging plans for the settlement of European difficulties, but rather with a view to strengthening their own family and personal good understanding, and thus of preparing the bases of such an eventual understanding between their respective statesmen as occasions present themselves. The reception of the young German Sovereign has been at once cordial and splendid. Reviews of the army and the fleet, visits to forts and palaces, magnificent entertainments, have filled the visit with gorgeous spectacles and popular ovations. Emperor William is said to have won the goodwill of the Czarina, still a very beautiful and fascinating woman, all-powerful with her husband, and whose appearance, with her daughter, in an open carriage drawn by six magnificent white horses, at the grand review at Tsarkoe-Selo, was one of the "features" of the magnificent affair. Her Majesty and the young Princesses were entirely in white; the dress of the Czarina especially being extremely beautiful, and including among other elements a wonderfully elegant pelerine of magnificent white silk, bordered with real flowers. Before leaving, the Emperor gave the Imperial Family two fine receptions on board his frigate, the Hohenzollern; one of these being a superb lunch, the other a still more superb and magnificently appointed dinner. The prolongation of the Emperor's visit, the fact that the Czar accompanied him to his frigate, and that the two monarchs embraced each other three times, with the greatest apparent cordiality at the last moment, are considered to prove that the personal relation between the two cousins leaves nothing to be desired. It is understood that the Czar will visit Berlin in the course of the year.

The French press has done its best to throw "cold water" in its accounts of the intercourse between the Emperor and his Imperial host, on the evidences of cordiality and confidence afforded by the incidents of the visit. The Russian press, on the contrary, regards the Peterhof meeting as proving the existence of a good understanding between the Russian and German sovereigns that constitutes a certain guarantee of peace for Europe; hopes that France will obtain a stable Government, and thus avoid becoming the hotbed of political discord and ferment, so that the rest of the world may become able to disarm; and would like to see the fleets of Russia, Germany, Sweden, and Norway establish a counterpoise to the influence of Great Britain.

The pulling-down of Great Britain seems to be regarded by a considerable portion of the rest of Europe as a necessary condition of the prosperity and advancement of all other countries.

In Austria-Hungary, as in Turkey, the prospect of a perfect understanding between Germany and Russia is causing uneasiness. It is feared that Bismarck, to make sure of the good understanding with the powerful neighbour that would compel France to forego her hopes of revenge, may yield to Russia in the Balkans, where the dual monarchy is apprehensive of trouble, an apprehension equally shared by the Porte, which especially dreads the advance of Russia in the region on her western border. The Italians are also weighing with some anxiety the probable effects of amity between the two Northern Powers on the position of Italy in the triple alliance, which some observers regard as ended, while others declare it to have become quadruple.

The visit of William II. to Copenhagen, which he reached yesterday, and where he is being splendidly welcomed, will be followed by a similar visit to Stockholm. In both these visits Count Herbert Bismarck attends his new master, who is to make a call on the Iron Chancellor on his way back to Berlin. The young Emperor will probably, with the King of Saxony, be among the Royal and Imperial guests invited by Francis-Joseph to the great hunting party at Heiermarck next month. The visit of the new potentate to the Italian Court is expected to take place soon afterwards.

The deaths of William I. and his regretted son, Frederic III., have cost the Prince of Thorn and Taxis the enormous sum of 2,000,000 marks, because as feudal lords of the Prussian domain of Krotoszyn, the Princes of Thorn and Taxis have to pay down 1,000,000 marks on the decease of every King of Prussia.

His Highness Taieb Bey, who has brought to M. Carnot the Grand Cordon of the Order of the Nicham in diamonds, has come to Paris to confer, as the mouthpiece of his brother the Bey of Tunis, with the French Government on matters connected with French action in his dominions.

The Prince of Montenegro only passed through this great Caravanserai on his way to Vichy, where he is taking the waters.

The eyes of this region are now turning in the direction of Turin and of the preparations being made in the old capital of Piedmont for the wedding of the Duke of Aosta and Princess Letitia Bonaparte. The delicate health of the Italian Crown Prince (son of cousins) renders it impossible for the most devoted friends of the present King and Queen of Italy not to regard the uncle and niece who are about to marry as possibly destined to replace them on the Italian throne. The Pontiff, counting on the profound Romanism of Princess Clotilda (who has done her best to bring up her daughter in her own worshipping devotion to the Pope and the Church) and on the similar sentiments of Prince Amadeo, whose first wife was of a family in the front rank of the defenders of the Temporal Power by force of arms, is believed to count on this contingency for the realising of his aim of regaining for the Church of which of he is head, the temporal rank and possessions of which it has been deprived by the taking of Rome as the capital of United Italy. No one, however, outside the circle of the Vatican and its friends, believes that even the personal devotion of the new pair to the Pope and the Church could lead them, in case of their coming to the throne, to risk the downfall that would assuredly follow any attempt on their part to deprive the Italian Kingdom of its natural capital.

The gift of the magnificent pearl necklace (valued at £12,000) to Princess Letitia, by her young cousins and future sons-in-law, is being followed by other tokens of the delight with which this marriage, fixed for the 12th September, is regarded by the other members of the two families, already so closely connected. The Empress Eugenie has sent the princess a fan, with sticks of gold, inlaid with a fortune in the shape of diamonds and other gems, and containing a landscape, said to be the first finished painting done by the regretted Prince Imperial. The Queen of Portugal (younger daughter of Victor Emmanuel) is preparing a mass of splendid and costly gifts for the niece who is so soon to be her sister-in-law; and both she and the King of Portugal will be present at the wedding. The Duke will bring his bride to her native Paris immediately after the marriage; and the new couple are expected to remain here for some weeks, during which they will be object of all the attentions that the Imperial party and the Italian colony can contrive to shower upon them. The Duchess de Mouchy, the bride's cousin, who is at the head of the subscription for getting up a splendid gift for the Duchess of Aosta from "the ladies of France," will give them grand hospitality in her splendid residence at the gates of Paris.

Here the School of the Deaf and Dumb have just had their annual celebration of the opening of that admirable institution in 1791, by the Abbé de l'Epée. Nearly 300 of the pupils, past and present, sat down to their feast, presided over by the director and professors of the school—all deaf and dumb like them. The affair, though silent, was of the most animated character. Many speeches were delivered, the speakers standing on their chairs, so that their finger-utterances could be well followed by all the gathering. The applause which greeted these speeches was of the heartiest, and the delight of all present was most vividly evidenced by their animated gestures and the joyous expression of their faces. A day or two afterwards a similar gathering of the pupils of the School of the Blind took place with similar animation and success, the affair beginning with the performance, in the Church of Saint Clotilde, of the fine mass in D by the director of the school, himself stone blind, and nevertheless organist of that important church. The performance by the pupils was conducted by their blind professor, organist at the Church of St. de Paul, and went off admirably. No fewer than 20 of the churches of Paris have blind organists, who owe their training and position to this excellent school, which has opened a life of intelligent activity to the victims of the sad fatality against which it so effectually operates.

The new and splendid Paris Post-office is now in full operation, and the ugly wooden erections that have done duty so long in that capacity on the site of the Tuileries, are being cleared away.

The congress of physicians and veterinary surgeons now in session here, is diligently prosecuting the end it has in view, viz., the discovery of the microbe of tuberculosis, in order to stamp out the terrible malady that carries off, every year, as many victims as all the other maladies together. The most eminent medical lights of France and of Europe have procured the assembling of this congress, and undertaken to carry on the necessary investigations in their respective countries. The initiator of this crusade against the contagious virus in question, M. Villemin, was saluted on making his appearance, by the enthusiastic applause of the Congress, all of whose members had sprung to their feet to welcome him. Similar researches are becoming the order of the day in regard to other melodies. Thus Dr. Paul Gibier, who has been investigating the cause of yellow fever in the regions where it habitually occurs, is presenting to the Academy of Medicine the result of his labours, which have enabled him to identify the microbe which causes this malady. The scientific searchers who have devoted their self-denying efforts to the exploration of this great department of medical inquiry, are sanguine of arriving, by the discovery of the microbe of each disease, at the means of curing, if not of preventing, all diseases, and of ridding humanity of these diseases in course of time.

CONDITION OF THE LABOUR MARKET.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In Saturday's issue appears a letter signed "Observer," which I trust you will kindly allow me to reply to, as I am one of the howling idiots, or in other words a "trade unionist." Claiming to be one of those who are as anxious to see the success of this my adopted land as those who are born and bred in it, I trust that such writers as "Observer" will be few and far between, as he studies the question from a purely selfish motive, or writes in pure ignorance of the labour question. What we are joining together for is to keep this land free from the curse of older countries, and endeavour to make life worth living for. Why are we called tyrannical? Because we have achieved here what they have got in no other part of the world—the eight hours, and we intend to keep that. An endeavour has been made, and is being made, to reduce us gradually to the old system of serfdom, but we have been able so far to stop it. Are they anxious to hear the cry of "outcast Sydney," to see the sweating system in full swing, or the true version of

"Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn."

In reality, then, let the wish of "Observer" and others be carried out by wiping out trades unions, and employ labour at whatever price the capitalist likes to give; then the family man will be pitted against the single, and live to curse the day he dragged his fair young bride into a sea of hardship and toil, or brought others into the world to share the same miserable lot. Ask Lord Carrington, who has studied the question, and admits the great benefits that trades unions have done even in the home country, what he thinks of it? and he will tell you that his earnest prayer is—that the sunny land of Australia will continue to be the working man's paradise. I am neither a firebrand nor an agitator, but an earnest believer in, and supporter of, the cause of trades-unionism, and there are thousands like myself who will hail with satisfaction that which hundreds of capitalists are not in favour of, "compulsory arbitration." It is not the cry of "equal distribution of wealth," but "a fair day's pay for a fair day's work"—*i.e.*, not what will enable a single man to live for, but what will enable a man to keep a home of his own. This to be the minimum. There is only one cure for the distribution of wealth, and that is co-operation. In conclusion, God forbid that the sunny land of Australia should ever become like the older countries as far as labour is concerned.

I am, &c., TRADES UNION.

P.S.—If statistics were given of the amount of relief given by trades unions to their more unfortunate brethren it would make such men as "Observer" blush. In short, if it were not for them communism and such like would be rampant through the land—not as some of them would like to make outsiders believe us—terrible tyrants. Mistakes have been made, and where is there any flock all pure? The true and experienced trade unionist will never resort to brute force. It is only the so-called, and very often would-be, blackleg. T. U.

FRUIT PRESERVATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In an English paper of recent date, a correspondent writes under the above caption as follows:—"It may interest some of your readers conversant with fruit culture to know that at the meeting of the Royal Horticultural Society held in London yesterday (24th July), a novel feature in fruit preservation was introduced to the committee. Mr. Tallerman, a gentleman connected with the Leadenhall Cold Storage Company (the De la Vergne system) was one of the guests at the strawberry feast recently held at Tiptree; and having had some boxes of fruit consigned to him in London for distribution amongst his friends, it occurred to him to try the effects of placing some of them under process at the company's refrigerating works and cold stores. The result was that several cardboard boxes, containing from a pound to a pound and a-half of ripe fruit, were placed before the committee, both fruit and leaves appearing as fresh as when gathered 11 days previously; and it was also observed, when tasted, that the fruit retained its natural freshness and piquancy. Mr. Tallerman is so well satisfied with the result of his experiment that he does not hesitate to assert his belief that fruit of the softer kind—such as strawberries, cherries, raspberries, &c.—may be preserved fresh for months under the same process. Be this as it may, it is quite certain that such fruits may be kept fresh for some weeks after their natural season, and that a new delicacy in the form of iced strawberries may take the place of strawberry-ice. The committee, in passing a vote of thanks to Mr. Tallerman, considered it its duty to offer him every facility for carrying on his experiments, and requested the secretary to assist him by supplying him with fruit from the society's gardens at Chiswick for further illustration." Thinking, sir, that the above information may not be uninteresting to some of your readers who are interested in fruit-growing and preserving, I therefore take the liberty to ask you to kindly give it publicity in your widely circulated and valuable journal. I am, &c.,

A LOVER OF FRESH RIPE FRUIT.

Sydney, September 1.

It is seven years (says a London paper) since there was a competitive trial of machine guns under the direction of the War Office. Since then new guns have been invented, and many improvements made on the older weapons. It is proposed that a new trial shall forthwith take place in order that the best gun may be fixed upon and issued to the services.

THE NEWCASTLE COLLIERY STRIKE.

STAGNATION IN THE CITY.

THE SHOPS DESERTED.

TWO COLLIERIES STILL AT WORK.

THE EFFECTS OF THE STRIKE ON THE SOUTHERN CAPITALS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

NEWCASTLE, MONDAY.

The strike was not productive of anything in the shape of news to-day, and little that is fresh is likely to transpire until the result of the masters' meeting is known. In the meantime the excitement has abated considerably, and the people are glad to experience a full day's respite from the various developments and unwholesome proceedings which have been chronicled daily for the past fortnight. The hope is cherished that something will arise this week to create a break in the present dull and cheerless condition of things and that the district will be brought back to its normal state and to the prosperity it was beginning to experience at the time the unfortunate crisis made its first appearance. If it continues for any length of time, if it should even happen to creep so far as a month ahead, its consequences will be nothing short of a calamity for Newcastle, and one that will make its effects felt for many years to come. The magnitude of the disaster is only fully manifest to one whose attention is devoted to the question, and whose observations bear directly upon the helpless and suffering public. The contending parties and the scene of conflict, the present appearances and the knowledge of former strikes, are enough to indicate the results that will follow a bitter struggle of this sort. Whatever direction you take now in this usually active and lively city, you find abundant evidence of the stagnation already existing. The shops are deserted—some of them temporarily closed for alteration and renovation. The street corners are blocked up with the miners, and those who find themselves unwilling idlers; and, worse than all, a magnificent fleet of ships, with their forest of masts, riding at anchor in the otherwise deserted harbour. There is no longer any trace of life along the wharfs nor the dyke, where so many fine steam cranes are erected, none of the bustle of the coal trains and their continuous shunting movements, nothing, in fact, but a picture of a deplorable nature when contrasted with its customary din and activity. The people are asking themselves how long this is likely to last, and what is to be the upshot of its prolongation? If the miners will not resume work, is the place to remain in this condition for an indefinite period? It remains to be seen what steps will be taken by the masters, and I have it on the best authority that if the miners show a determination to resist their employers in the terms of the manifesto, or rather its gist as its draftsmen telegraphed, in all the labour organisations fresh labour will be sought, but not until every effort has been tried and failed to effect a settlement. The miners are the only people who are unconcerned just now, and many of them regard it as a fitting holiday for men whose avocation lies in cutting coal. Plenty of amusement is at their command, and Lake Macquarie is the haunt of an exceedingly large number of the sporting miners. The advertisement calling for miners for the Cornwall Colliery, Tasmania, has met with a poor response to-day, there being only three applicants. The price per ton offered was 3s. 3d., and they gladly availed themselves of it, and promised to pay their own passages thither rather than remain out of work. Here they have been getting the best rates, and making a great deal more than they are likely to in Tasmania, but they go in preference to waiting till the end of what they consider will be a protracted fight between the masters and miners, and one that will see the men back at work at lower rates than when they struck work last Friday week. The prevailing opinion is that the miners will never again obtain such terms as they have had all along.

Further averages, which have been prepared from the paysheets of the Greta and South Waratah Collieries, show that in the former the men were earning 12s. 6d. per day when they struck, this being the pay for the last fortnight worked, and in the latter 11s. 3d. and 10s. 6d. per day for the last two fortnights worked. In each instance the mining managers state that very little over six hours was the actual hewing time, so this gives as much as 2s. per hour, or 16s. for eight hours work. The South Waratah mine is one at which the miners are said to have a fair grievance. There are but two collieries working now in the Newcastle district, and these are Lewis and Thompson's and Mr. Wild's. The former is known as the West Burwood or Nil Desperandum, and employs eight men, the output being 250 tons a week. The men are non-unionists, and so far have resisted the union and refused to stop work. Several efforts have been made by the vigilance committees to withdraw the men, but in the absence of pecuniary aid they deny the right of the strikers to interfere with their livelihood. Some of these men are so determined to continue at work that they are prepared for any extremes or coercive tactics; and one man asserts that nothing short of bloodshed will take him from the pit. The mine has only been at work for six months, the seam being an excellent one in size and quality. The proprietors offer to supply the railway with 200 tons a week, and more if necessary, it being estimated that with additional hands as much as 600 tons could be raised in six days. At the other small colliery named the men are likewise determined to resist the union. Messrs. Dalgety and Co., in their monthly circular issued to-day, report the entire suspension of business. The circular runs, "With only 14 days' notice of their intention to cease work, all the miners in this district came out on strike on the 27th ultimo, and we anticipate work will not be resumed for at least two or three months. The extent of this disaster will be more readily comprehended when we state that upwards of £35,000 paid fortnightly in miners' wages is suddenly stopped. Thirty intercolonial steamers are thrown out of employment and their crews discharged. One thousand wharf labourers in Melbourne are thrown idle, and a proportionate number in Sydney, Adelaide, and Newcastle are also out of work. We have in port 60,000 tons of shipping which cannot be loaded until the strike is ended, and 100,000 tons are listed to arrive within the next two months. Collieries around Sydney are now reaping a very rich harvest, the selling price for best screened coal there being 27s. 6d. per ton as against 11s. 6d. before the strike commenced, and it is anticipated that prices will further advance, as the output from the southern collieries is not sufficient for intercolonial requirements. Chartering operations are for the present at a standstill. Although many orders are coming to hand, and in some instances higher rates could be given, the demand for steamer cargoes for Java, Singapore, India, and the Philippines continues, but these place must obtain their supplies from other places for the present." The barque Heather Bell, from Noumea, arrived at the Heads this morning, and was signalled to go on to Sydney owing to the strike. She is under charter to load coal for Noumea, and will probably proceed to the southern mines in search of a cargo. The mining managers of all the leading collieries assembled in conference this morning at the Great Northern Hotel, but the result of their deliberations has not transpired. It is believed that amongst the business dealt with were the proposals which the masters are likely to lay before the miners' delegate board should a conference be agreed upon. A miner who has been working in the Newcastle mines for many years past, took his departure for Brisbane to-day. In conversation he informed a railway official that he had no difficulty in earning £5 a week, and asserted that he could show on pay-sheets at least 100 such weekly wages earned in the collieries here. He did not consider £5 a week any too much remuneration for coal-hewing, which, he contended, is by no means unskilled work.

THE SOUTHERN COLLIERIES—A DEMAND FOR INCREASED PAY BY THE MINERS.

WOLLONGONG, MONDAY.

It is rumoured that at two of the mines the men have made demands for a considerable increase in the hewing rates, besides other claims which it is feared will eventuate in a strike. All the southern mines are supplying coal under contract prices, in many, if not in all, cases at extremely low rates, the trade for which has increased; the price realised is comparatively small.

If an increased hewing rate of 6d. per ton is demanded all round, it would entail either loss or small profit on the total output. It is supposed that, under the circumstances, it will be impossible for the masters to comply with the demand made. Beyond the fact that the demand has been made nothing is certain; it is understood that Mount Pleasant has offered 1d. per ton increase all round, but it is not known whether the offer will be acceptable to the men.

SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED IN VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

At a meeting of labourers, held on the Australian Wharf yesterday afternoon, a collection was taken up on behalf of the miners who are on strike at Newcastle. The sum of £6 13s. was raised. A sum of about £1 10s. was collected for the same object on the Port Melbourne railway pier.

To-day the Railway authorities received an offer from Gibbs, Bright, and Co. of a ship to load 1200 tons of coal at 3 guineas per ton. The offer was declined. The department do not anticipate that the Northern Coal Company will be able to make the offer for the supply of 10,000 tons which they were recently in treaty for. The department is daily receiving coal from the southern collieries of New South Wales.

The Tyne Iron Foundry has discharged about 200 hands in consequence of the miners' strike. To-night the Bootmakers' Society voted £50 to the strike fund, the Tailors' £10, and the Coopers' £5.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

A reporter who was in conversation with men of all trades at the eight hours' demonstration at the Exhibition grounds to-day respecting the Newcastle strike, represented that the men at the demonstration appeared in sympathy with the miners. Regret was expressed at the turn which things had taken at Newcastle, but it was the general opinion that the miners are fully justified in adopting the extreme course they did. "The most unfortunate thing," a leading speaker said, "is that the strike affects so many trades in Newcastle, and all were bound to feel it, but still the miners did what the men here think was right, and I'm sure they'll be supported." Such expressions as the above were repeated time after time by the men who appeared to be perfectly prepared to concede pecuniary assistance to the miners; but at the same time they in many instances were convinced that the strike would be of short duration, and that probably no monetary help would be solicited. If, however, help is asked for, it was stated that it will be willingly given. Mr. Robinson, secretary of the Trades and Labour Council, stated that he had received copies of the miners' manifesto, and had forwarded them to the various societies connected with the council, so that the delegates might be prepared to deal with the matter at their next meeting. Mr. Kirkpatrick, chairman of the Eight Hours Association said, "I am certain there is a wide feeling of sympathy among our labour organisations with the miners, and at the proper time it will practically manifest itself."

The working men feel that the case of the miners has not been fairly put, and that the attempt to force a settlement by means of a sealed packet was a subterfuge. The carpenters have been requested by the Sydney branch to support the miners. It is also felt that the New South Wales Parliament should constitute a board to settle such disputes.

SERIOUS OUTLOOK IN THE SOUTH.

An effort seems to have been made to sow dissatisfaction among the miners employed in the southern collieries. It was partially successful, for two disgraceful acts are said to have been committed in the workings of one of the southern mines. An effort has been made to keep the matter secret; but the following statement has been made by a gentleman closely connected with the mine in question. He said: "Our mine is one of the principal mines in the southern district. We have been putting down a bore at the bottom of a shaft, in order that the water from the shaft might run into the workings below. The shaft and bore have been in operation for over nine months. On Friday one of the rods was lifted out of the bore, and a piece of steel dropped to the bottom. The effect of that has been to utterly ruin the work for the present. Several men must have assisted in lifting the rod. I have no doubt that the thing was a plot; and it shows what we may expect. I may also say that in the same colliery, a few days since, a fire was discovered under conditions which led to a suspicion that the mine had been set on fire. It was a diabolical attempt, and the fire must have cost the individual considerable difficulty to kindle. Luckily for us, it was soon extinguished."

In the case of three of the Southern collieries, a demand has been made by the men for an increase in the hewing rate. A manager, speaking upon the matter said: "The present rate was fixed when the selling rate was 11s. 10d., or 12s. per ton. Since then the price has fallen to 10s. 3d. and 10s. 6d.; but throughout the masters have paid the full rates, and have not, as they were entitled, made any reduction. Now that there is a temporary increase in the demand, owing to the Newcastle trouble, the men make this demand for a higher rate, ignoring the fact that two-thirds of the output from the collieries have been engaged for months to come, and in some cases for over a year, at the low prices referred to. The demands that have been made upon the managers are for an increase of 6d. per ton upon the present hewing rates, to work less hours per day, and to force the owners to discharge any man who will not join the union. They also demand that broken days, quarter and half shifts shall be paid for as full days."

The manager of the Greta colliery engaged 50 men in Sydney yesterday to proceed at once to that colliery, and commence work as soon as possible. As a precaution against interference by those out on strike 26 policemen accompanied the men, and, we understand, will also proceed to the colliery, and remain there as a body-guard.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It appears likely that the strike will be very prolonged and the public loss enormous, as even without the support of other labourers the miners can raise enough by sending their single men to work elsewhere while their married men garrison the mines to keep going for a long time; and it is unlikely that any Government will feel itself strong enough to employ force to protect fresh bodies of men in working until it is likely to receive the support of the great body of the working classes in doing so, and that support cannot be expected unless steps are at the same time taken to protect all principles involving the general interests of working men. Cannot this protection be given, and the support of all fair-thinking working men to the employment of force if it should be necessary, conciliated by an agreement between the companies and the Government that the companies should give certain pay for certain work, and should give their work by preference to their old hands in the order of their seniority of engagement, and that the Government on its side should engage to employ its whole force to protect the companies in employing any additional new hands under the same agreement? The agreement might be framed by a Parliamentary commission, from drafts submitted by the men and by the masters, and once adopted it ought to be a cast-iron arrangement, unalterable except by legislation. Such an arrangement would on the one hand protect the miners both from unjust dismissal, and from encroachment on their wages; and on the other hand it would protect the masters from insatiable demands, while it would secure all that it is desirable to secure in the interests of the public exemption from the evils arising either from strikes on the one hand or lockouts on the other. I am, &c.,

R. S. WILLIS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The miners' strike at Newcastle, while it threatens to ruin the mine proprietors by destroying their trade, and on the other hand causing much privation and suffering to the men and their families, promises in the end to turn out a positive good, by being the means of bringing about a proper understanding between labour and labour's best friend—capital. I say best friend, because without the employment of that enormous sum of money invested in the Newcastle district where would have been the 6000 men now on strike? I have come to the conclusion that it is useless for us outsiders to waste more of our time in trying to understand the present trouble, or to endeavour by mediation to bring about a reconciliation of the two interests. We can only deplore the unfortunate position of the shareholders, who, in their misplaced confidence in labour, have sunk their money in those mines. The trades unions, in this unfortunate business, have the upper end, and seem determined to obtain their own terms, by wielding their power at whatever cost. I must frankly acknowledge that scarcely anyone will doubt that trades unions have hitherto been a great power for good, and very few will attempt to question the right of any body of men combining for the benefit of their particular class; and we cannot deny that to the unions and the effect of our system of free education the working man owes many of the blessings he now enjoys. Wage has been adjusted on an equitable basis; the hours of labour have been restricted within reasonable limits, and the efforts of the various bodies to do what they considered their duty to themselves have met with few rebuffs. It is true very many times means have been used to boycott the employer into obedience, but the strong sympathy of the public being in favour of the working man, these injustices have been passed over as not being worth while to interfere with, and so we have arrived at the present crisis. It is well known that at a meeting of delegates at Newcastle some time ago it was decided under certain circumstances to have a general strike, and at this meeting some of the most important of the labour councils induced the coal-miners to take the initiative on the understanding that they, to wit, the Seamen's Union and others, would support them through it. That celebrated convention of proprietors and workmen took place on the 21st July, when the men produced the conditions of their agreement, and the proprietors undertook to consult and to produce their own conditions in 14 days; but before the expiration of the 14 days the miners met, and passed a resolution to the effect that unless the proprietors accepted the miners' proposals without alteration, the miners would strike in 14 days. Here began to appear the sharp end of the wedge, and the masters refused to go any further with negotiations until the resolution for the strike was rescinded. This, therefore, is considered to be the gist of the whole matter. The men want to compel capital into submission to their terms, or they will stop working the mines. They fancy that the proprietors must do what they ask, or suffer ruin; but it seems to me, and the question which I now submit for the consideration of all trades union men is, will their present efforts to dominate capital, if successful, be for the good of labour, or will it not arouse the caution of capitalists and make them more chary of placing their savings into such investments as mining without obtaining from labour beforehand some binding clause to stop a general strike of the men, with compensation to them in the shape of a fine or penalty to be forfeited by the men to the investor in case of default? I contend that it will come to be considered by every miner his interest to secure the capital he requires by such a material guarantee, say, in the shape of a cash deposit that the labour rules of the mine shall not be broken, and among those rules should be one that a general strike should forfeit the deposit. I may be permitted to suggest further that as a means of preventing general strikes, and yet to give each the right to terminate the agreement on a given notice, care should be taken that the dates at which notices shall be given are different in the case of each man. I repeat, in conclusion, that what is wanted is an agreement. This is what the miners are anxious to have, and to get which is set forth in their manifesto as one of their grievances; but on the terms of this labour agreement hangs the future of the mining interests in the Australian colonies. I am, &c., OLD SALT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Since writing you respecting the wages earned by the hewers or getters of coal, a number of inquiries have been made through your columns as to the time occupied by the men in earning the amounts quoted. The average number of hours the miners work at getting and filling coal is from 5½ to 6 per day. The average earnings per day from the 7th January to 4th August was 12s. 3d., which is equal to 2s. 0½d. per hour. The company had sufficient orders booked to keep the men fully employed for the next three years. The seam of coal worked is divided into two sections, consisting of—Coal 4ft. 3in., band 1in.; coal 3ft. 10in., band 1in.; coal 1ft. 4in.; total, 9ft. 5in. clean coal, with only two penny bands. Then 4 to 20ft. morgan, and coal 1ft. 4in. not wrought but left for roof; and under these, coal 1ft. 10in. cleave parting, coal 6ft.—7ft. 10in. clean coal, no bands.

It has been stated the men had grievances, but on inquiry I find the Stockton men had none, but gave the following as their reason for being the first to ballot for a strike—So much of their money would go to support the others that they had better come out also.

The agreement under which the men worked to earn the above wages is as annexed. After stating the price for hewing is 4s. 2d. per ton, it provides for every contingency that may arise as to taking men from the coal to do shift work, or to wheel; then they are to be paid 10s. per shift of eight hours. It also provides for payment of headings, turning off bords, and other work on a most liberal scale, and provides that each miner employed at the colliery shall be allowed free one ton of small coal per month.

I think if you can spare the space to publish the agreement, it will enable the public to see that the men have no grounds of complaint on the score of want of an agreement.

I am, &c., M. C. COWLISHAW.

"Memorandum of agreement made and entered into this 23rd day of July, 1886, between the miners of Stockton Colliery on one part, and John Evans, Esq., colliery manager, for and on behalf of the Stockton Company, Limited, on the other part:—Hewing price, tops and under tops, per ton, 4s. 2d.—Mr. Curley's price, 4s. 2d.; filling small coal, per skip, 7d.—Mr. Curley's price, 6d.; headings from 6 to 8 ft. wide, per yard, 8s. 8d.; 9ft. bords, per yard, 6s. 6d.; 12ft. bords, per yard, 4s. 4d.; 6 yards bords, per yard, 2s. 6d.; turning-off bords to be paid as per above scale on headings, according to width, except 9 to 12 ft. bords, per yard, 6s. 6d.; cut through heading, price according to width; crosscuts, per yard extra, 1s.; four men in a place, per ton extra, 3d.; six men in a place, per ton extra, 4½d. Narrow work—Four men in a place, per yard extra, 1s.; six men in a place, per yard extra, 1s. 6d. Cutting up tops in bords—3ft., 10s.; 3ft. 6in. to 4ft., 15s.; 4ft. and upwards, 20s. 1. All places to be supplied with sufficient rails, sleepers, props, sprags, and lids; the props to be cut to the proper length to suit the different places, and brought to the face of the workings for the use of the miners. 2. Water to be taken out of places to allow the men to work comfortably. 3. Any man or men taken from the coal to do shift work or to wheel to be paid 10s. per shift of eight hours. 4. Wheelers to take all empty skips to the face of the working places, and to bring all full skips from the same. 5. If at any time the miners are not satisfied with the correctness of the weighing-machine, they may, by giving due notice to the manager, have it tested; and if such notice is not complied with within a reasonable time, they may, by giving two days' notice, have it tested by imperial weights and by a competent person. 6. All miners employed at the colliery shall be allowed one ton of small coal per month. 7. Any miner sending more than 56lb. of dirt in one skip, it shall be lawful for the manager or overman to stop his skips for one day. 8. All coal going over the screens to be clean marketable coal. Should any skip passing over the ordinary screens be found to contain an unreasonable quantity of stone, dirt, or other refuse to the screen overseer, then the weighman and check-weighman shall have their attention drawn to it. 9. All coal going over the screens to be clean, marketable coal, free from stone, dirt, or other refuse, and if at any time any miner is convicted in the opinion of the company's weighman and check-weighman of sending an unreasonable quantity of stone, dirt, or other refuse in one skip, then the miner be cautioned for the first offence, and cautioned again for the second offence, but if convicted the third time he shall receive 14 days' notice to leave the colliery, provided all three convictions occur in one quarter. 10. Any miner employed at this colliery convicted of stealing, or having unlawfully in his possession picks or any other tools belonging to his fellow-workmen, shall be subject to a fine of £1 for each offence, which shall be deducted from his wages at the colliery office, and appropriated to the local fund. 11. Providing that any miner or miners are proved to have committed a violation of these rules, then it shall be lawful for the manager or his overman, on such proved conviction, to give the party or parties so offending the usual 14 days' notice to leave the colliery. 12. All places to be left in good and proper order at the end of each quarter, and should any place be left unfairly, two competent miners to be appointed to examine the place, and decide as to the value of such deficiencies. 13. All tonnage, yardage, and small coal rates to be regulated by the sliding scale. 14. In case of dismissal, the usual 14 days' notice to be given. 15. Before a shot is to be fired in the coal one side is to be cut to a facing from floor to roof, and to be holed also across the bord for a distance of four yards to the same facing; if no facing occurs, then to be cut and holed in the same manner to a distance of 3ft. 16. Either party wishing to terminate this agreement shall be at liberty to do so by giving 14 days' notice in writing, and no one is authorised to give or receive such notice except the colliery manager, or to cancel any such notice given by either party.

"Signed on behalf of the Stockton Company.

"(Signed) JOHN EVANS, Manager.

"Signed on behalf of the Stockton miners.

"(Signed) B. J. OWEN, Chairman.

"THOS. FOOTE, Treasurer.

"JOSEPH LEWIS, Secretary."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The Newcastle strike now on brings once more to the surface what has often occurred to me in re the benefit or otherwise of trades unions to its members and to the public at large. I trust a more able pen may take it up, but from my own observation I fail to see any ultimate good; it appears ever to keep an antagonistic feeling between employer and employed, and compels many to submit to that which in themselves they would not do. Having seen myself so many disastrous results from strikes in the old country, I cannot but forsee future evils attending all such; they appear only satisfactory to the agitators.

I am, &c., J. S. D.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your able leader of Saturday on the crisis sums up the present position of things so clearly that I would submit it now only remains for the general public to take up the matter where you leave off, and to answer your question, "How long are they bound to suffer in silence and unresistingly?" To this I feel sure the general answer will be, "Not another day."

A requisition should be made to his Worship the Mayor to call a public meeting to discuss the situation. I believe this would be followed by similar meetings throughout the colony, and in a short time the Government would be induced to step in and avert the desolation with which the community is threatened. Supposing that during the construction of the works for the temporary water supply from the Nepean last summer a dispute between Hudson Bros. and their workmen had brought about a similar state of things and menaced the city with the horrors of a water famine, how long would the patience of the citizens have lasted? I am, &c., CIVIS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The strike at the Newcastle collieries has for a time cut off the principal coal supplies of the colonies. Every effort is being made by the owners of the southern and western mines to meet the demand. In Queensland and Victoria the Governments are making extraordinary efforts to help the coal-owners to put out large quantities of coal, and so help to lessen the great and general calamity of a short supply of fuel. In this colony alone the Government do nothing. Week after week the newspapers publish the fact that mines are idle because the Government cannot, or will not, supply trucks, while at Wollongong, the centre of the southern mines, not a week passes without an indignant outcry by the Press against the Government for the non-completion of the long-promised loop-line.

There is no connection between the Illawarra railway and the port of Wollongong, and in rough weather coal cannot be shipped at the open jetties; yet advantage cannot be taken of the port, as there is no railway communication. Two mines only ship coal in the harbour, and cannot nearly supply the demand. A few days ago the Fiado entered the port to load 700 tons of coal, but could not be supplied. A railway of the same gauge as the Illawarra line runs into the port and crosses the Government line at right angles about a mile from the harbour. A short loop line could be constructed of some 200 yards in length, which would at once give access to the port from several of the principal mines in rough weather, admit of coal being shipped from a new mine which is ready and waiting to ship coal, and be the means of opening up several other mines to the south of Wollongong. This is not a costly undertaking. A well-known company of contractors have expressed their willingness to undertake it, and complete it in three weeks for the sum of £2000. The present Minister for Works and his predecessor (Mr. Lyne) both considered this work necessary, and promised it should be done. It is most necessary that our supplies of coal should be augmented in every possible manner, yet the Government do nothing. The answer of the Minister to the last deputation which waited on him on the subject was that the owner of the Mount Kiera mine should be written to. This is six weeks ago, and the loop-line seems no nearer being commenced than it was two years ago.

It is high time our railways were put into the hands of a competent man. It is not to be wondered at that the railways do not pay with such management. Here is a feeder to the railway which would cause hundreds of thousands of tons of coal to be carried in the course of the year, yet nothing is done, and all requests that the work should be commenced meet with frivolous answers.

I am, &c., WOLLONGONG.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The Newcastle coal miners cannot surely have sufficiently considered the possibilities of the labour market when they contemplated a prolonged strike in order to force on the pit-owners their own terms, or else they must be very ignorant, and their leaders culpably so, of the fact that there can be little or no difficulty in obtaining men in sufficient numbers to replace the whole of those who have turned out in a district not further off than the province of Auckland, in New Zealand. The distress amongst the trading classes in New Zealand, and especially in the Auckland province, during the past two years has been very great, and large numbers of men have been thrown out of employment. Many of those who have the means to do so have left, and are leaving, the colony. It is estimated that at least 10,000 men have taken refuge on the gum fields, where they have been earning a poor and precarious existence by digging kauri gum. The outside annual gross value of the kauri gum obtained by these men is not more than £300,000, which leaves an average earning of not more than £30 per annum per man, or say 12s. per week; and, as the value of kauri gum is steadily declining owing to the over-production of these men, the outlook for them is as bad as it well can be. These men have not the means of leaving the colony, but if fair wages for a fixed period and a free passage to the field of labour were offered to them, there is no shadow of a doubt that five or six thousand men could be obtained in the Auckland province to replace those who have abandoned their work at Newcastle. Coal-digging is not more arduous labour than gum-digging, and any disadvantages resulting from working in a pit would be more than compensated by the difference in the wages earned.

I am, &c., G. W.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The all-important topic of the day is the cause and cure of the great coal strike.

1st. The cause. I tremble to make the statement, but the truth must out. The cause of the coal strike is the scarcity of colliers. We have through this scarcity created an aristocracy of labour ten times more tyrannical and despotic than any feudal or landed aristocracy the world ever saw. It is our boast that we live in a free country. Where is our freedom when trades-unions unite to crush the very soul out of private enterprise, and a two-thirds majority can compel enforced idleness upon the minority? Our workmen have a perfect right to unite for their common benefit, but they have no right to form conspiracies which endanger our public as well as our individual liberties. Australia is the only country under heaven in which such an atrocious system would be tolerated.

2nd, the cure: A great deal has been said about boards of conciliation, arbitration, intercession, &c., but the only cure for the present state of things is a healthy flow of men, women, and children into the country. If three thousand miners were landed in Sydney to-morrow I guess it would be very near the end of the strike. What about the unemployed? I am of opinion that those who make the unemployed should feed them. Who makes the unemployed? I say most decidedly trades-unionism; one of their rules is that every man must be paid alike, it matters not what the capacity of the man may be; the result of this rule is that the employer carefully classifies his men, and in this classification avoids the inferior workman. In fact, the man is branded, and cannot get employment. If the employer were allowed to pay this inferior man according to his merits from that day the unemployed would cease to exist. There never will be any real prosperity in New South Wales until we can count at least 1000 emigrants a month, this 12,000 added to our population yearly would be equal to at least £4,000,000 per annum ready cash, besides being a permanent paying investment. Trusting that some abler pen will take this great question in hand.

I am, &c., ARGUS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The above question is absorbing public attention just now, and well it may, for the serious results that must follow could not be beaten, unless by a real civil war with much bloodshed. I have watched the papers most carefully to endeavour to learn why the men decided to lay down their tools. I have, within the past few days, asked many men to tell me why these men have stopped work. Among those spoken to have been men recently from Newcastle itself. In no single case have I been able to get a clear answer. There seems to be a mystery about the whole thing—a dreamy notion of "unequal distribution of wealth." I have just read the miners' manifesto, and, Sir, I regret to say that it throws little or no light upon the question. It is nicely worded in painted sentences that may take with a few unthinking men and women, but it is far too thin for the public to swallow. The masses do not take everything for true that appears in print. They read and think well before forming any opinion, and when that opinion is formed, in nine cases out of ten it is correct all the world over. I expected to see some hard facts set forth in the manifesto, but no, it is simply milk and water, and will go more to strengthen the hands of the masters than anything that has yet been done. If the miners could show that they have been trodden under foot by the masters, or robbed of their wages, or unfairly paid—not getting sufficient to give them a good living and have something to spare, then public sympathy would go with them, and in the long run they would win the day. But such is not the case. Their wages are better than the wages of most other men in the colony, being, as stated in your columns the other day, from 9s. to 22s. per day of only a few hours work. In fact, so handsomely have they been paid that many of them can afford to take from one to two days' holiday each week. The figures given by your correspondent, M. C. Cowlishaw, in your issue of the 29th instant, opened the eyes of the public to no small extent. In taking the earnings of the hewers in the Stockton Colliery, from January 7 to August 4, each fortnight's pay shows that these men earned from 11s. 5d. to 12s. 8d. each per day, except in two instances, where it fell to 9s. 2d. and 10s. 6d.—the cause being short hours or inferior workmen. The manifesto says the "grievances are too numerous to permit of recapitulation here, but the chief among them is the attempt of the proprietors to compel the men to work and throw back rubbish from among the coal for nothing, or, in other words, to do additional work without increase of pay," &c. . . . . "Those amassing wealth and drawing unprecedented dividends from the results of the miners' labours evidently desire and intend to make further inroads on the earnings of the worker toiling for his daily pittance, and to extort from labour its legitimate reward." If they want the public sympathy they had best find time and room, too, for some more substantial "grievances" than those set forth. If men can earn from 9s. to 22s. per day, and afford to take from one to two holidays weekly, they surely must have small room for complaint, even though they had to throw back thousands of tons of stone for nothing. Then they take exception to the large dividends being paid. Why do they not save some of their "fat" earnings and buy shares themselves, and participate in the "unprecedented dividends?" They further complain of the "unequal distribution of wealth." Who is responsible for such a shallow cry? Have they any idea of the effect of an "equal distribution?" By this I understand that all persons in the universe should have an equal share of the wealth of the world. The pity is that we had not all exactly our share thus divided, and learn the bitter experience that would follow, as we would be sailing over the country with about £3 per head in our pockets. The remedy is not far. Let the Government start immigration at once, and send strong bodies of police to the scene of action, to protect all men seeking work. It may be remembered that some years since the Bulli miners struck. When the owners could not get what was known as "practical miners" to work, they sent over the country for copper miners, and within less than a month all these men who were put on earned just as much as the practical coal-miners did, and performed the work just as well. Why cannot the masters advertise for labour now and get some of the poor starving wretches who are roving about the country? The answer is at once found. They dare not put men to work, because they are afraid. The Government are not doing their duty and seeing that the men who will work are not molested. If the thousands come from England to flood this market, it will make things unpleasant for all parties, and the Government will find it necessary to send a very strong body of police there to protect them. I am, &c.,

August 30. PLAIN ENGLISH.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

We have received from Messrs. Turner and Henderson, Sydney, a copy of the *Handbook of Sydney*, edited by William H. Hamlet, F.I.C., F.C.S., for the use of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science. Its object, which it serves very well indeed, in some 116 pages of neatly-printed letterpress, is to give an epitome of the history, meteorology, geology, flora and fauna of the city and neighbourhood, and some account of the commerce and industries of the colony. Articles are contributed on climate, by H. C. Russell; geology, by C. S. Wilkinson; botany, by J. H. Maiden; mammals, by Dr. G. Bennett; marine fauna, by W. A. Haswell; insects, by A. Sydney Olliff; conchology, by Dr. James Cox; commerce and industries, by Charles Lyne; and an itinerary by the editor, which is to serve for the use of the members in their excursions about the city and colony.

Maria Island, by Dio, is a neat little publication printed at the *Hobart Mercury* office, dealing with the past, present, and probable future of this "treasure island," as it is here called. There is also a map of the island and an account of its exhibits at the Melbourne Exhibition. The writer tells a readable story of the place, and speaks hopefully of its future, placed as it is right in the track of the steamers which trade between Hobart and Melbourne and between Melbourne and New Zealand. Its agricultural capabilities are very highly spoken of, and illustrated by the fact that turnips sometimes attain a weight of 80lb., while one sent to England sometime ago weighed 100lb.

The Australian Beekeepers' Guide for Amateurs is a pamphlet by Charles Dickins, Adelaide, giving some plain and practical instruction on the profitable management of bees in moveable comb hives, with several illustrations.

The Battle of Mordialloc; or How we Lost Australia is a brochure published by Samuel Mullens, Melbourne. It is on the line of the often-copied "Battle of Dorking," and purports to have been written in 1896, "when Great Britain is bent on recovering her lost Australian colonies." It describes in a somewhat high-falutin way how 55,000 supposititious Russians and Chinese captured the colonies after the Australian declaration of independence, but there is nothing very original either in the idea or execution. *Poor Old Pop* is a story published by Webb and Son, Adelaide. *Protection or Free Trade*, by Henry George, is a reprint by Edwards, Dunlop, and Co., of Sydney, of the writer's examination of the tariff question in the States, with regard to its bearing on the interests of labour there. The purpose of the original essays was "to give efforts for the emancipation of labour greater definiteness of purpose, and to eradicate that belief in the opposition of national interests which leads people, even of the same blood and tongue, to regard each other as natural antagonists."

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—SEPTEMBER 3.

R.M.S. Oroya, 6184 tons, Captain R. Studdert, from London July 20, Plymouth July 21, Gibraltar July 26, Naples July 30, Port Said 2nd ultimo, Suez 4th ultimo, Aden 8th ultimo, Albany 25th ultimo, Adelaide 28th ultimo, and Melbourne 1st instant. Passengers—From London, for Sydney: Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Lang and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Tugwell, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cliburne and family, Mrs. Emmanuel and family, Mrs. Mackenzie, Misses Mackenzie, Misses Prentice, Miss Robinson, Miss Paul, Miss Lees, Miss Beale, Messrs. J. Beale, F. Booth, F. H. Bradley, J. Collier, A. Emmanuel, J. Goldie, W. E. Hughes, G. H. Jackson, J. Lees, A. M'Leod, W. Mainer, C. W. Marsden, M. M'Lennan, A. J. Mitchell, J. O'Connell, C. Shaw, T. L. Smith, J. Whineray, L. Wightman, Master Tugwell; and 132 in the other classes. From Melbourne: Mr. Martin Power, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hales, Mr. H. B. Stack, Mr. Halford, Mrs. Spreat, Mr. Spreat and wife, Mr. C. L. Swanston, Mrs. and Miss Brown, Mr. Hillman, Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. Hawley, Mr. D. Chappil, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson, Mr. Rock, Mr. Leslie, Mr. Barker, Mr. J. Cameron, Mr. Matthean, Miss Corcoran, Mr. P. O. Sullivan, Mr. J. J. Trunford, Misses Hall, Mr. J. Menzies, Miss Menzies. For Brisbane: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Palmer, Miss Lucock, Miss Lindsay, Miss Baker, Mrs. E. Dow, Mr. A. J. Barker, Mr. C. Jourdan; and 29 in other classes. G. S. Yuill, agent.

Cynosure, barque, 764 tons, Captain William M'Farlane, from Hamburg May 15. Passenger—Mr. Oscar Cords. Mason Brothers, agents.

Netherby, ship, 1400 tons, Captain T. H. Chellew, from Liverpool May 30. J. Frazer and Co., agents.

Afghan (s.), 1439 tons, Captain Roy, from Foochow August 2, via Hongkong August 5. Passenger—Mr. H. S. Ezekiel. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., agents.

Elingamite (s.), 2600 tons, Captain F. W. Bull, from Melbourne 1st instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Byrne, Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. J. E. Weaver, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Baker, Miss C. Dwyer, Miss Dixon, Miss Boothman, Miss Rule, Messrs. W. A. Shaw, W. Spring, W. G. Galow, Beacheveys, A. Dunbar, R. F. Rankin, A. J. Fink, D. Buchanan, W. Clarke, W. Blair, D. Buchman, G. Bowler, Horsbury, G. Benson, Master Richards, and 30 in the steerage. Messrs. Huddart, Parker, and Co., agents.

Flora (s.), 1273 tons, Captain H. C. White, from Hobart 1st instant. T. and W. Willis, agents.

Wonoona (s.), 643 tons, Captain H. Mills, from Melbourne 1st instant. Bulli Coal-mining Company, agents.

Ardencluthа, ship, 1222 tons, Captain Hamilton, from New York May 18. Passengers—Mrs. Hamilton and Miss Hamilton. R. Towns and Co., agents.

Raven, barque, 344 tons, Captain Heslop, from Port Victor August 24. Captain, agent.

Hohenzollern, 3098 tons, Captain A. Meir, from Bremen July 11, Antwerp July 14, Genoa July 23, Port Said July 30, Suez July 31, Aden 5th ultimo, Colombo 13th ultimo, Adelaide 30th ultimo, and Melbourne 1st instant. Passengers—Mr. von Hague, Mr. Mayland, Dr. P. Noubane, Mr. S. G. Alguiss, Mrs. Shadler, Mr. Shadler, Miss Shadler, Mr. Aickmann, Mrs. Aickmann, 2 in the second saloon, and 62 in the steerage. Finck and Betz, Limited, agents.

Australasian (s.), 3630 tons, Captain Alexander Simpson, from London July 12, Teneriffe July 25, Capetown 10th ultimo, and Melbourne 1st instant. Passengers—Captain Robert Johnston, Mrs. Johnston, Miss Margaret Johnston, Miss Ellen Johnston, Mr. J. W. Wright, Mr. J. Walkfer, Mr. A. S. Tange, and 20 in the steerage. Dalgety and Co., Limited, agents.

Glanworth (s.), 877 tons, Captain T. L. Johnston, from Brisbane September 1. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—SEPTEMBER 3.

R.M.S. Oceana, for London, via ports.
H.M.S. Nelson, for Plymouth, via Mauritius and Cape Town.
Karaweera (s.), for Adelaide.
Hesketh (s.), for Brisbane.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—SEPTEMBER 4.

H.M.S. Calliope, for Fiji, thence for Adelaide, on a cruise; Phillis, Blairgowrie, Frank Stafford, for San Francisco; Oonah (s.), for Hobart, via Eden; Rodondo (s.), Barcoo (s.), for Melbourne; Konoowarra (s.), Cintra (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports; Waihora (s.), for Wellington and Southern New Zealand ports; Australian (s.), Tomki (s.), for Clarence River; Emma Pyers (s.), for Cape Hawke.

CLEARANCES.—SEPTEMBER 3.

R.M.S. Oceana, 6600 tons, Captain P. S. Tomlin, for London, via ports. Passengers — From Sydney for London: Mr. and Mrs. C. C. M'Millan, Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh maid and valet, Mr. and Mrs. Tythericigh and infant, Mrs. Davis and child, Mrs. Roskell, Misses M'Millan (3), Miss Hudson, Miss A. Pocock, Miss Leane, Miss Wiley, Dr. J. Graham, Messrs. J. A. Wells, W. C. Agate, R. Craig, W. Leane, H. M. Williamson, S. P. Davis, A. Pilgrim, Launder, Paul, W. A. M'Kenzie, P. Moore, R. E. Johnson, Master M'Millan. For Venice: Miss Gibbs. For Bombay: Dr. A. C. Thompson, Mr. Allen, Mr. Shrewsbury. For Calcutta: Mr. and Mrs. Manly, Mrs. Dudgeon, Misses Manly (3), Major M. J. Barlow, Captain E. J. F. Wood, Mr. T. D. Ralli, Mr. P. Whalley, Master Manly. For Penang: Mr. A. G. Scott. For Colombo: Mr. Macaulay. For Adelaide: Mr. and Mrs. Manwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. Storrie, Miss Manwell, Miss Roger, Miss Hamshere. For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. F. Maccabe, Mr. and Mrs. J. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall and child, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Shoesmith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Amess, Mr. and Mrs. E. Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smythe, Mr. and Mrs. Rippens, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Miss Jerrems, Mr. and Mrs. Living, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson, Miss Bromstone, Miss Atkinson, Miss Homer, Miss Nicholson, Dr. E. Fairfax Ross, Rev. B. Rhodes, Messrs. Bragge, F. H. Johnson, A. J. Wright Witham, R. H. Maguire, O. Moore, A. Moore, Sordon, J. Graham, Cull, J. Sibbin, J. C. Smith, T. Rowe, Molyneux, A. A. Brown, M. Curr. From Melbourne for London: Mr. and Mrs. Percival, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pullen and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham five children and nurse, Mr. and Mrs. Walch, Mr. and Mrs. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. M'Glashen and child, Sergeant Burrows wife and family, Sergeant Darling wife and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hards and child, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Marks, Mrs. Jones, Misses Pullen (2), Miss Latham, Miss Cunningham, Misses Chirnside (3), Miss Evans, Miss G. Brown, Miss Hutton, Dr. Altman, Messrs. Brooks, Chirnside, M'Mullen, A. W. Lawler, Graham (3), W. W. Stephens, E. T. Mason, Pigott, F. Hall, Henderson, Pullen, jun., Townsend, W. Blackwall, Lazarus, J. M'Kane. For Calcutta: Miss E. C. King-Hunter, Mr. Lodder. For Bombay; Miss Hogg.

Phillis, brig, 230 tons, Captain F. C. Must, for Adelaide.
Karaweera (s.), 929 tons, Captain W. B. Blown, for Adelaide.
Hesketh (s.), 393 tons, Captain H. Rowe, for Brisbane.
Blairgowrie, ship, 1550 tons, Captain S. Dark, for San Francisco.
Frank Stafford, American barque, 1169 tons, Captain A. W. Smith, for San Francisco.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—SEPTEMBER 3.

Bonnie Dundee, for Bateman's Bay; Jonathan, Endeavour, for Camden Haven; Mary Warner, for Wollongong.

IMPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 2.

Bulimba (s.), from Calcutta: 136 bags linseed, 500 bags rice, 15 packages dhall, 100 drums 1450 cases castor oil, 34 cases coir, 1304 cases gunnies, 5 cases chutney, 326 quarter-chests tea, 76 cases sugar cane, 14 bags coffee, 221 bales kapok, and sundries.

Barcoo (s.), from Brisbane: 322 bags tin ore, 329 bunches bananas, 161 hides, 6 bundles skins, 23 cases empty acid jars, 10 cases combination, 5 bags bones and horns, 7 bales kangaroo skins, 4 bales wool, 20 cases pines, 55 cases meats, 3 horses, sundries, and a quantity of sugar and other cargo for Melbourne.

SEPTEMBER 3.

Afghan (s.), from Foochow: 14 cases japanware, 173 packages chairs, 28 bales pith, 5 cases cigars, 110 boxes oil, 1 case silks, 4 packages opium, 15 packages turned boxes, 1622 packages rice, 96 packages tea, 120 cases nut oil, 100 cases ginger, sundries, and transhipment freight for New Zealand ports.

R.M.S. Oroya, from London: 392 cases soft goods, 34 cases stationery, 175 cases boots and grindery, 5 cases drugs and perfumery, 75 cases machinery, cutlery, and hardware, 2 packages earthenware, 29 cases cigars and tobacco, 29 cases tobacco and cigars, 9 cases tobacconists' goods, 11 cases jewellery and electroplate, 7 cases oilmen's stores, 43 parcels and 1294 packages general merchandise. Also, transhipment cargo for Queensland and New Zealand ports.

Australasian (s.), from London: 80 tons pig iron, 1119 bars 142 bundles iron, 39 packages machinery, 110 wheels and axles, 17 bundles pedestals, 483 packages boots and grindery, 400 bundles wire, 33,000 slates, 300 cases bottled beer, 89 bundles steel, 20 wheels, 32 cases galvanised iron, 5 kegs screws, 20 hogsheads 30 barrels ale, 242 rolls lead, 239 packages hardware, 274 packages oilstores, 405 rolls wire netting, 4 cases indiarubber goods, 50 cases fruit, 198 packages boots, 30 chains, 48 axle arms and boxes, 402 steel plates, 139 packages oilmen's stores, 271 bundles sheet iron, 449 packages drapery, 11 packages drugs, and a quantity of general unspecified cargo.

Hohenzollern (s.), from Bremen: 359 cases shoeware, 2 cases cigarettes, 9 cases toys, 60 cases beer, 27 packages drugs, 30 cases paints, 26 cases pianos, 77 cases cigars, 7 packages books, 26 packages machinery, 71 packages hardware, 139 cases mineral waters, 82 cases tinctures, 398 cases sewing-machines, 56 cases steamboards, 20 cases starch, 10 cases acid, 6 cases tobacco, 5 cases seed, 14 cases fancy goods, 119 packages drapery, 232 cases tacks, 7 cases musical instruments, 3 cases lead pencils, 7 cases metalware, 39 packages tea, 15 tierces 56 bags coffee, 15 cases marble, 20 cases cream of tartar, 19 packages glassware, 11 packages grindery, 13 packages holloware, sundries; transhipment freight for Queensland ports and Levuka, and also a quantity for Apia.

Cynosure, from Hamburg: 28 bales straw boards, 53 cases pianos, 200 cases beer, 272 cases furniture, 50 bags farina, 4 casks colour, 45 cases brandy, 20 cases tinctures, 11 cases china, 110 cases mineral waters, 14 cases wax, 450 packages wire, 2500 cases gin, 2 cases music ware, 28 cases chairs, 27 cases earthenware, 2450 boxes candles, 26 casks glue, 1200 cases starch, 854 casks cement, 675 cases wire nails, 1200 bundles steel wire, 2 cases paintings, 80 trunks shoeware, 56 cases hollow glass, 19 cases toys, 19 packages drugs, 10 cases collodion, 7 cases ironware, 122 crates bottles, a quantity of rock salt, and sundries.

Elingamite (s.), from Melbourne: 1468 bags potatoes, 140 bags onions, 7128 bags chaff, 1431 bags flour, 8 packages leather, 150 boxes tinplates, 10 ¼-casks vinegar, 5 cases books, 5 packages butter, 60 bales kapok, 8 packages tea, 17 packages drapery, 26 cases tin piping, sundries, and transhipment cargo for Newcastle and Queensland ports.

Ardencluthа, from New York: 10 packages forks, 54 packages picks, 108 packages agricultural implements, 61 packages lawnmowers, 38 packages rakes, 18 cases shovels, 500 cases axes and hatchets, 12 cases scales, 16 cases nails, 70 packages machinery, 176 packages stoves and ranges, 113 packages hardware, 13 packages pumps, 54 axles, 11 packages shafts, 354 pieces and packages carriageware, 25 cases sewing machines, 47 packages 259 single oars, 87 packages woodenware, 178 packages washboards, 8 packages wheels, 1016 packages clothes pegs, 274 cases handles, 18 cases brooms, 44 cases chairs, 24 packages leather, 3 cases organs, 128 cases clocks, 203 packages glass and lampware, 270 quarter-barrels dried apples, 97 cases canned goods, 211 cases paints and varnish, 435 packages tinned fish, 33 cases manufactured 21 packages leaf 11 hogsheads strip tobacco, 1281 packages beer, 150 cases sarsaparilla, 391 packages medicines and drugs, 1250 cases turpentine, 11,000 cases kerosene, 52 cases lubricant, 525 barrels resin, 563 barrels plaster, 64 pieces 55 cases slate, 95 pieces hardwood, 43 cases advertising matter, 35 cases boots and shoes, 33 cases bolts and nuts, 30 cases bread preparative, 55 cases benzine, 14 cases candles, 51 cases castings, 13 cases desks, 268 cases fruit jars, 33 cases furniture, 27 cases guns and cartridges, 76 cases grease, 100 cases gasolene, 9 cases hammers, 12 cases harness, 20 cases lard, 11 cases meat choppers, 167 cases machinery oil, 10 cases mouldings, 107 cases lard oil, 7 cases stone, 891 cases soap, 12 cases toys, 40 cases saws, 12 cases apiary goods, 23 cases wringers, 24 cases dairy goods, 107 packages platedware, 18 bales packing, 5 packages rubber goods, 85 packages tools, 23 packages evaporators, 812 doors, 99 coils wire, 13 cases refrigerators, 5 casks glue, 114 packages oilstores, and sundries.

Ex Cynosure, from Hamburg: 564 casks Alsen's cement. Sole agents—H. HAHON AND Co., 95, Pitt-street.

Ex Netherby: 450 cases Guinness's stout bottled by Blood, Woolfe, and Co.; 100 kegs bicarbonate soda, 3100 sacks salt, 210 tons rock salt—JOHN FRAZER AND Co.

Ex Port Pirie, from London: 21 cases drapery—HILL AND HALLS, Grenfell.

EXPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 3.

R.M.S. Oceana, for London: 1224 bales wool, 5414 ingots copper, 2965 ingots tin, 68 bales skins, 211 casks tallow, 1 case emu eggs, 200 bars silver lead bullion, 1 case silver bullion, 12 bales leather, 7000 carcases mutton, 1300 cases meats, 16 cases extract, and 27 packages sundries.

Frank Stafford, for San Francisco: 1982 tons coal.
Blairgowrie, for San Francisco: 2200 tons coal.
Karaweera (s.), for Adelaide: 1600 tons coal.
Hesketh (s.), for Brisbane: 214 bales chaff and original cargo from Adelaide and Port Augusta.
Phillis, for Adelaide: 300 tons coal.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—Arrived: September 3, Victoria (s.), Ranelagh (s.), from Sydney; Alexandra, barque, from London. Sailed: September 3, Fitzroy (s.), for Sydney. Yaralla (s.) arrived at Bundaberg yesterday from Brisbane. Burwah (s.) arrived at Rockhampton to-day from Sydney. Eurimbla (s.), for Rockhampton, arrived at Bundaberg yesterday evening. Warrego (s.), for Cooktown, arrived at Flattop Island this morning. City of Melbourne (s.) left Townsville to-day for Brisbane. Maranoa (s.), from Cooktown for Sydney, left Townsville early this afternoon. Quiraing (s.), from Brisbane for Burketown, Waroonga (s.), from Burketown for Sydney, arrived at Cooktown this morning. Menmuir (s.) left Thursday Island on Sunday for Hongkong.

BALLINA.—September 3: Steamer Coraki, outward bound, aground opposite Pilot's Point; Queen of the South crossed in 6.30 p.m.; Bellinger (s.) off bar; Lady Franklin, Ocean Rover, and steamer Emu ready for sea, waiting for spring tide. Only 6ft. 6in. water on rocks in Shaw's Bay, and getting worse as channel shifts north.

YAMBA.—Arrivals: September 3, Electra (s.), Helen Nicoll (s.), from Sydney; M. A. Doran, schooner, from Melbourne. Three-masted steamer passed at 5.30 p.m., Bellinger (s.) passed at 7.10 a.m., topsail schooner passed at 8 a.m., Queen of the South (s.) and Barrabool (s.) passed at 8.30 a.m., schooner like Patonga passed at 2.30 p.m., schooner like Lismore passed at 2.45 p.m.; Maggie Taylor, ketch, passed at 3.10 p.m., all going north.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrival: September 3, Sydney (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 3, Joker, Shamrock, for Port Stephens; Sydney (s.), Gwydir (s.), Namoi (s.), for Sydney.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: September 3, Konoowarra (s.), at 6.30 a.m.; Age (s.), at 3.15 p.m., north.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: September 3, Balmoral Castle (s.), Restitution (s.), from London; Dawpool, ship, from Liverpool; Malaysea, ship, from Glasgow; Erickson, ship, from Tacoma; Wild Wave, from Hobart; Falcon, schooner, Duchess of Kent, ketch, Robert Burns, ketch, Victoria, barque, Eveline, ketch, Isabel, schooner, from Tasmania; Bride, barque, from Clarence River; Lindus (s.), from Newcastle; South Australian (s.), from Adelaide; Adelaide (s.), Rockton (s.), from Sydney. Departures: September 3, Taglieferro (s.), Beeswing (s.), for Newcastle; Pateena, for Launceston.

ADELAIDE.—Departure: September 3, R.M.S. Garonne, for London.

(FROM BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE).

TWEED HEADS.—Arrival: September 3, Sea Flower, at 5 p.m.

RICHMOND HEADS.—Arrivals: September 3, Queen of the South (s.), Bellinger (s.), Grace Dent off bar. Passed: September 3, Bhundara (s.), at 8 a.m.; Barrabool (s.), at 11.20 a.m.; a small cutter at 12.15 p.m., north; Emu (s.), Ocean Rover, Lady Franklin, ready for sea. Coraki (s.) aground opposite Pilot's Point.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Arrivals: September 3, Electra (s.), Helen Nicoll (s.), at 6.30 a.m.; M. A. Doran. Passed: September 3, a three-masted steamer at 5.30 a.m.; Patonga, at 2.30 p.m.; Lismore, at 2.45 p.m.; Maggie Taylor, at 3.10 p.m., north. Evelyn ready for sea.

MACLEAY HEADS.—Arrival: September 3, Woodburn (s.), at 6 a.m.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Arrivals: September 3, Fernmount (s.), from Bellinger, at 6 a.m.; Eliza Allan, from Sydney.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Arrivals: September 3, Julius Vogel, Victoria, from Sydney. Departures: September 3, Guiding Star, Emily Ann, for Sydney.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: September 3, Glanworth (s.), at 5.15 p.m., south.

BELLINGER HEADS.—Departures: September 2, Echo, Bellinger, ketches, for Sydney.

CAPE HAWKE.—Arrivals: September 2, Alfred Fenning. September 3, Petrel, Flora Bell, Favourite, Dewdrop, and Shannon. Departure: September 3, Emma Pyers (s.), at 5 p.m.

MANNING RIVER.—Arrivals: September 3, May, Jessie Sinclair, Budgery, Ruby, at 2 p.m.

NELSON'S BAY.—Arrival: September 3, Caledonia, at 8 a.m.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrival: September 2, Freetrade, from Clyde. Passed: September 3: A ship, at 9 a.m., north.

KIAMA.—Arrival: September 2, Venture, from Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: September 3, Brunette, 11.20 a.m.; two steamers, at 7 p.m., north.

ULLADULLA.—Departure: September 3, Kiama (s.), at 4 p.m.

EDEN.—Passed: September 3, Orange Grove, at 5 p.m., south.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: September 3, Duke of Argyle (s.), at 7 a.m.; Cintra (s.), at 7.50 a.m.; Konoowarra (s.), at 8.30 a.m.; Age (s.), at 6 p.m., all north.

SEMAPHORE.—Departure: September 3, R.M.S. Garonne, for London, at 4 p.m.

ALBANY.—Arrival: September 3, Caledonien (s.), from Adelaide, at noon. Departure: September 3, R.M.S. Coromandel, for Adelaide, at 10.35 a.m.

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

(PER MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.)

LONDON, SEPT. 1.

Arrived, from Port Augusta, Corinth, barque, sailed April 28; from Port Germein, Chaema, barque, sailed March 23. The Essex (s.), 1675 tons, has put into Lisbon for medical assistance, the captain being dangerously ill.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day business was quiet. Mercantile Bank were rather lower; others without material change. The following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: Mercantile Bank, 5; Bank of New South Wales, 64; Mont de Piété, 22s. 3d.; Shale and Oil, 3s. 6d.; New South Wales Debentures, due 1902, 115. At 4 o'clock: Mortgage and Guarantee, 11s. 6d. Closing quotations were:—

BANKS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
A. J. Bank	18	—	N. Z., Syd. reg.	—	10½
City	16	16½	Ditto, N. Z. reg.	—	—
New issue, £2pd.	85/	—	Q'land National	9¼	9¾
Commercial	114	—	Union	58	—
Federal	—	—	Rl. Bank Q'land	5	5¼
Mercantile	4¾	5	Bk. of Nth Q'land	—	40/
N. S. W.	63½	64½	Com. of Australia	—	—

STEAM.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australasian	—	—	Illawarra	7½	—
Balmain Ferry	—	18/3	Newcastle	6	7/6
Clarence & Richmond	—	13	Do. Preferential	—	—
Do. Preferential	—	15	N. Shore Ferry	40/	—
Hunter River	—	8½	Port Jackson	44/	49/

INSURANCE.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
General	8	—	New S. Wales	11d	1/1
Austral. Mutual	15/	—	New Zealand	—	—
City Mutual	1/10	—	Pacific	—	20/
Indus. Mutual	—	—	United	70/	—
Mer. Mutual	5/6	6/			

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australian Gas	14¾	15¼	S. P. Petroleum	—	—
New	8¾	—	Sydney Exch'nge	14	—
Castlemaine Br.	20/	21/9	Assets Realizat'n	4/9	5/3
Emu Gravel	—	—	Mortgage Guarantee, 10s paid	11/6	12/
Hudson Bros.	—	5/3	Sydney T. and O.	25	—
Mont de Piété	22/3	22/6	Colonial Sugar	—	12
Saywell's	—	13/6	Tooth's Brewery	18/9	19/
Permanent Trust.	4/3	4/6	Goulburn Gas	37/	40/
Perkins and Co.	—	34/	Col. Finance	—	4/6
Ditto New	—	—	Art. Well Boring	—	7/
Perpet. Trustee	12/9	14/9	Manly Gas	—	—
Vol. Land Order	135	150			
Shale and Oil	3/3	—			

LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Anglo-A. F. L. I.	7¾	8½	Syd. and Sub.	6¼	6½
Ditto, £1 paid	—	—	Syd. Permt.	34	35½
C. B. and In.	82/	—	Real Estate	6/9	7
Excelsior	—	58/	Aus. Mutual	60	70
Indus. Provident	23	—	Metropolitan B.	—	—
Syd. Freehold	20/	21/6			

The usual first of the month trade has given some stimulus to distributing houses, which has reacted beneficially on the business of the merchant; but still trade is not by any means so active as is looked for at this season of the year. The rainfall has not been at all adequate to requirements, but its effect will be beneficial, and we may hope that it is but the first droppings of more bountiful spring rains. The flour market continues to strengthen, and some holders to-day ask up to £12 per ton for best roller brands, inferior flour being raised from 5s. to 10s. per ton. Since the rise in the market a brisk business has been done, bakers having laid in stocks pretty extensively. The wheat market is hardening in correspondence with that for flour. In Europe prices continue to rise, and at 41s. per quarter English wheat has in all advanced about 10s. per quarter from the lowest point. A moderate trade noticed in tea. The shipment ex Angers is being found damaged to some extent. The agents are delivering cargo on the deposit of 6 per cent. for average, or a satisfactory bond in lieu of payment. The Afghan arrived to-day with 547 tons of tea from Foochow for this port. The sugar market is very firm, grainy yellows sold at £22. The market outside the company's makes is rather bare. The European market is steady at 14s. 3d. for German beet. The determination to abolish bounties on sugar will, when carried into effect, benefit our Australian growers, and the fact that it will not come into operation for two years will not matter much, inasmuch as this market will for some time take all that Queensland produces at better prices than could be obtained elsewhere. Candles are firm at late rates. Hoffman's starch, quoted on Saturday at £28, has been selling freely by the sole agents for some time at £30. There is rather more enquiry for brewers' goods—Malt, at 6s. to 6s. 6d.; hops: Kents from 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4d.; Tasmanians 1s. 1d. to 1s. 2d. In liquids there was a fairly good trade, though almost entirely in consumptive lines, low brandy and whisky being freely noticed. The metal trade is without special movement. A good parcel of muntz cleared off at 9d. Wire nails are lower, and cannot be quoted over 13s. A quantity of No. 8 fencing wire was sold at £9 17s. 6d. Sheet lead, to arrive, was offered at the very low price of £17. A good parcel of galvanised iron was placed at a figure withheld, but understood to be low, despite the fact that private cable advices are to the effect that freights have still an upward tendency, and that the English market is hardening. A private wire states that there is a brisk advancing tendency in the iron market at Glasgow. In jute goods bran bags were rather lower, having been sold at 4s. 10½d. Respecting the Calcutta market, on the 31st July Messrs. Ernsthausen and Co. state that on the resumption of cable communication with the colonies several orders for cornsacks came forward, and 1400 bales had been taken for August shipment, and (partly in New Zealand) for October and November, prices ranging from 29r. 8a. to 30r. f.o.b. for ordinary cornsacks. A proposal to equalise prices had been laid before the members by the committee of the Jute Mill Association at last week's meeting, and carried unanimously. By it discrepancies in the relative value of different manufactures have been removed, and it is said that the minimum rates as they stand offer a safer basis to work upon than hitherto. Bran bags were in strong demand, and about 700 bales found buyers for August and September shipment; standards at 22r. 8a., f.o.b. The market closed firm at, for cornstacks, standards, 5s. 8¼d., c.f.i.; woolpacks, 11¼lb., 1s. 10¾d., c.f.i.; bran bags, 20oz., 34s. 9d. Locally there is very little doing in oils. Castor in Calcutta on 31st July was 1s. 11½d. in cases of four tins, c.f.i. The timber market is unaltered. The Gretna's cargo of Oregon goes to auction on Wednesday.

Messrs. Harris and Ackman advertise for sale to-morrow (Tuesday) morning sugar, other groceries, spirits, &c.

The European stock of copper has increased to 78,750 tons, of which 3450 tons is Australian. The supplies seem to be accumulating rapidly. Two months ago the quantity was only 65,850 tons; in the beginning of April it was only 51,750 tons; on the 1st of January it was 42,000 tons. Since the beginning of the year therefore the quantity has nearly doubled. A year ago, when the price of Chilian copper was £39 15s., the stock was 44,000 tons. Now, with the stock at 78,750 tons, the price is £89. It is now about ten months a-half since the syndicate began operations. The effect has been to more than double the price and to increase the stocks very nearly twofold. The original agreement with the copper-mining companies was for three years. The new arrangement, of which we have been advised, is that the mines are to get a higher price for five years, but they are not to put out so much copper. The question will then be whether the companies outside the syndicate arrangement can still go on and make up the deficiency. If they are able to do so, and the syndicate has not the strength to hold the increasing accumulations, or cannot secure the support of outside mines to the keeping up of price, then it must be a further arrangement or a collapse. We may well doubt whether any syndicate is strong enough to control the copper market for five years on the basis of the high prices paid to the leading copper mines. Had the syndicate fixed a lower price, which would not have stimulated the development of other mines, its chance of success would have been better.

The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited, have received the following London cablegram, dated September 1:—

"Tallow is in good demand. Good mutton tallow is worth 25s. 6d. per cwt.; good beef tallow is worth 23s. 6d. per cwt. Rabbitskins: Stocks are beyond trade requirement; all descriptions have declined about 2d. per lb. since last report."

The ship Netherby arrived in port to-day from Liverpool with a general cargo, valued at £17,700. The Oroya (s.), from London; the Cynosure, from Hamburg; and the Ardencluthа, from New York, with general cargoes; and the Afghan, from Foochow, with tea and general cargo, also arrived.

The Peninsular and Oriental Company's R.M.S. Oceana left port to-day with the following cargo:—7000 carcases mutton, 1300 cases meats, 1224 bales wool, 5414 ingots copper, 2965 ingots tin, 68 bales skins, 211 casks tallow, 200 bars silver lead bullion, 1 cases silver bullion, 1 case emu eggs, 16 cases extract, 12 bales leather, and 27 packages sundries.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £4505 14s. 2d.; wine, still, £83; wine, sparkling, £10; ale, porter, and beer (in wood), £115 5s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £372 13s. 6d.; tobacco and snuff, £541 5s. 6d.; tobacco (unmanufactured), £29 2s.; tobacco (for manufacturing purposes only), £30 6s.; cigars, £250 0s. 10d.; tea, £376 19s. 8d.; coffee, £7 12s. 3d.; coffee (raw), £40 12s. 9d.; sugar (refined), 10d.; sugar (unrefined), £547; sugar (molasses), £17 2s. 10d.; rice, £11 10s. 9d.; dried fruits, £380 13s. 2d. Specific duty—bacon and hams, £7 3s. 8d.; biscuits, 6s. 9d.; bitters, over 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £4 14s. 1d.; butter, £29 5s. 7d.; cheese, £15 8s. 4d.; cocoa and chocolate, £22 2s. 8d.; confectionery, £17 0s. 4d.; corn flour, £33 6s. 8d.; doors, £2; essences, under 25 per cent. of proof spirit, 12s. 10d.; essences over 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £8 8s. 6d.; fish, £38 16s. 8d.; galvanised iron, £49 8s. 8d.; galvanised manufactures, £36 19s. 4d.; jams and jellies, £90 3s.; milk, £80; oil (kerosene), £35; oils (in bottle), 12s.; oils (other), £139 4s. 3d.; paints, £57 10s. 1d.; powder (blasting), £17 18s. 4d.; powder (sporting), £27 2s. 3d.; preserves, 2s. 3d.; salt, 3d.; shot, £24 17s. 1d., spirits (methylated), £40 12s.; timber (dressed), £105; timber (undressed), £456 19s. 6d.; varnish, £84 16s.; harbour and light rates, £78 13s.; pilotage, Sydney, £82 4s. 8d.; harbour dues, £12; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £6 10s.; excise on beer, £1356 18s. 9d.: total, £10,281 1s. 3d.

Mr. T. R. Smith reports having sold by public auction on the ground, on Saturday, on account of the Metropolitan Building and Investment Company, Limited, 246 acres of the Yorks Estate at prices ranging from £14 to £38 per acre. Total amount of sale, £4172 12s.

STATION SALE.

Messrs. Macdermott, Loughnan, and Searr report having sold (in conjunction with Messrs. J. M. Peck and Son), on account of Messrs. Tobin and MacKinnon, their Marion Downs station, situated in the Gregory North district of Queensland, and containing an area of about 1200 square miles, together with 12,000 cattle, 180 horses, &c., Mr. D. MacKinnon being the purchaser.—[ADVT.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 2.

The arrivals of copper during the past month amount to 7950 tons, and the deliveries to 3300 tons. The present stock is 78,750 tons, the present stock of Australian copper alone being 3450 tons.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

Business is quiet. A parcel of 8000 bags wheat sold at 4s. 5d., f.o.b. Small sales of millers' were made at 4s. 3d. to 4s. 5d. Flour is unaltered. Feed grains are firm. New Zealand oats sold at 3s. 8d.; Victorian thin, 2s. 3d.; Calcutta, 3s. Cape barley and peas are both very firm at 3s. Bran is slightly easier at 1s. 2d. to 1s 3d. A line of 1000 boxes elemes sold at 4½d., and 500 cases currants of good quality at the same price. Sales of sultanas, 5¾d. Galvanised iron is firmer, owing to cable advices of an advance. There is an active trade demand for kerosene at unaltered rates.

Business in stocks was of fair extent, and quotations are generally without important changes. Bank shares are rather firmer. Mercantile Finance placed over Saturday's rate. Greig and Murray and Fraser and Co. are rather easier. Tramway and Omnibus were supported at late valuation. Sales: Commercial Bank, £9 17s. 6d., £9 18s. 6d.; Tramway and Omnibus, 54s., 54s. 6d.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, 4 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 3 p.m.
NORFOLK ISLAND, 11 a.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, VIA EDEN, 11 a.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, VIA EDEN, 12 noon.
LORD HOWE ISLAND, NORFOLK ISLAND, AND TONGA, 2 p.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 3 p.m.
WELLINGTON AND SOUTHERN PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND, 3 p.m.
DUNEDIN AND INVERCARGILL, 3.30 p.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

RICHMOND RIVER, 10 a.m.
ULLADULLA, MERIMBULA, AND EDEN, 11 a.m.
AUCKLAND AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS, NAVIGATOR'S ISLANDS, HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, CANADA, UNITED KINGDOM, AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE, U.S.S. Zealandia, 2 p.m.
BRISBANE AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.
TONGA AND SAMOA, 6 p.m.

THURSDAY.

LAUNCESTON AND HOBART, VIA EDEN, 9 a.m.
PERTH (W.A.), INDIA, AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE, overland to Melbourne, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Oceana, 2.30 p.m.
UNITED KINGDOM, overland to Melbourne, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Oceana, 3 p.m.
BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE, overland to Brisbane, 3 p.m.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Despatched.	Date.	Letters.	News-papers.	Late Letters.
By U. S. S. Zealandia.	Wednesday, September 5.	Registered, 1 p.m., ordinary, 2 p.m. 6d the ½oz.	1 p.m. 1d each.	For the United Kingdom, Honolulu, United States of America, and Canada, will be received at Custom House and G. P. O. up to 3.30 p.m. Extra fee, 6d.

For rates to places other than the United Kingdom see "Postal Guide."

Mails for the United Kingdom per Union steamship Zealandia will be due in London on the 15th October.

Despatched.	Date.	Letters.	News-papers.	Late letters for the United Kingd'm only
Overland to Melbourne and thence per P. and O. Co.'s steamer Oceana.	Thursday, Sept. 6.	Registered, 1.30 p.m. Ordinary for Perth (W.A.), India, and Continent of Europe, up to 2.30 p.m., but for the United Kingdom only up to 3 p.m., 6d. the ½oz.	1.30 p.m. 1d each.	Will be received up to 4 p.m. Extra fee, 6d.

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Mails for the United Kingdom per P. and O. Co.'s steamer Oceana will be due in London on the 15th October.

Mails for the United Kingdom per German steamer Salier will be due in London on the 28th September.

PARCEL MAIL.

Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain foreign countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the parcels office, George-street, for transmission per Orient Company's steamer Lusitania, up to noon on FRIDAY, the 7th September. Parcels not exceeding 2lb. in weight, 1s 6d; for every additional pound or fraction thereof, 9d.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

W. INGLIS AND SON.—At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.; at Camperdown Yards, at 2.30, Horses.
BROWN BROS. AND CO.—At Bazaar, at 11.30, Horses, &c.; at Corporation Yards, at 11, Calves, &c.
W. GARLING.—At his Bazaar, at 2, Horses, &c.
G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.
T. S. CLIBBORN.—At Fennelly's Bazaar, at 2.30, Horses, &c.
ELLIS AND CO.—At Camperdown Yards, at 2.30, Horses.
T. COSGROVE.—At Bazaar, at 12, Horses, &c.
H. M'NAMARA.—At Meat Market, at 12, Beef, &c.
TATE BROS. AGENCY AND TRADING CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.
C. P. HUMPHRIS AND CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.
HARRIS AND ACKMAN.—At their Mart, at 11, Spirits, Teas, Sugars, Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, &c.; at 2.30, Furniture, &c.
C. MOORE AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Boots, Shoes, &c.
KELLETT AND ALFORD.—At their Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, &c.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At 36, Botany-street, Moore Park, at 11, Furniture, &c.
MORT AND CO.—At their Warehouse, at 10, Leather, Skins.
HILL, CLARK, AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 10, Leather.
J. BRIDGE.—At Circular Quay, at 10, Sheepskins, &c.; at Corporation Yards, at 11, Pigs, Vealers, &c.
THE N. Z. LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY CO.—At their Warehouses, at 10, Sheepskins; at 11, Kangaroo Skins, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.
BRUNKER AND WOLFE.—At their Stores, at 10, Sheepskins.
J. EVANS AND CO.—At Meat Market, at 11, Beef, &c.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At their Stores, at 10.30, Leather; at 10, Sheepskins.
F. L. BARKER.—At Stores, at 10, Leather, &c.
DUNN AND WEBB.—At 78, Bathurst-street, at 10, Furniture, &c.; at their Rooms, at 2, Furniture, Tobacconist's Goods, &c.
S. PROCTER.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.; at Mart, at 2 and 3, Groceries, Dairy Produce, &c.

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SEWERAGE SCHEME FOR BURWOOD.
STATISTICAL RETURNS.
THE ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

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Sydney, 5th July, 1888.

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We cannot in any case undertake to return unpublished manuscripts.

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While every care is exercised to secure the insertion and classification of advertisements, the proprietors do not accept any responsibility in reference thereto; and they reserve to themselves the right of withholding from publication any advertisement they may deem to be objectionable, although it may have been received in the ordinary course of business.

The London office of the *Sydney Morning Herald* is No. 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, where Messrs. Lloyd and Co. will be happy to afford information concerning business matters connected with the paper.

Colonists temporarily resident in England can have their letters sent to the above address, where files of the *Herald* are always kept for reference.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1888.

ACCORDING to a correspondent's article in the *Times*, the arrogance of Sir Henry Parkes caused China to reject the treaty with the United States; but it is the general opinion in New York that the treaty was rejected because of the amendments made by the Senate in the original text of the document.

THERE has been great disturbance at the eviction of two tenants on the estate of Lord Clanricarde, in Ireland. There was desperate resistance, and the soldiers and police were called out. A large number of persons were arrested.

GENERAL GRAHAM is preparing to attack the Thibetans.

THE ceremony of investing Dr. Michael Logue, coadjutor Archbishop of Armagh, with the pallium is to be performed by Cardinal Moran.

THE appeal of Holt v. Giblin, in the Banco Court yesterday, was dismissed with costs, and the costs of the trustees were ordered to be paid as between solicitor and client.

THE libel action of Dibbs v. the *Daily Telegraph* Newspaper Company was continued yesterday, when the examination of Mr. Thomson, formerly consulting accountant of the Treasury, was concluded. The case stands adjourned until to-day.

IN the Equity Court yesterday, the Chief Judge granted probate and letters of administration in a number of cases.

THE Queensland Treasurer will probably deliver his financial statement on Thursday afternoon.

THE prospecting board in the Northern district have forwarded a progress report to the Minister of Mines, in which they show they have done a great deal of useful work.

THE Customs revenue in Queensland for the month of August amounted to £263,547, being an increase of £50,427 for the corresponding period of last year. The increase appears to be distributed over all branches of the revenue.

AT a general meeting of the members of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science yesterday, a telegram was announced from Baron Von Mueller, accepting the position of president for 1889, and a large number of committees were appointed on various subjects.

THE steamer Iona has been burnt to the water's edge at Bowen (Queensland). She was laden with log timber.

Two slight shocks of earthquake were felt at Christchurch (New Zealand) early yesterday morning. It is thought that the previous earthquake originated in the west. The shock was felt over a radius of 300 miles from the centre of the disturbance.

THE Queensland committee in connection with the Irish evicted tenants' fund have forwarded a draft for £207 to the Lord Mayor of Dublin.

THE eight-hours demonstration at Adelaide yesterday passed off successfully. The Governor and a number of members of Parliament visited the sports.

THE Chinese suit, Ah Toy v. Musgrove, has been decided in Melbourne against the Government. The Chief Justice and Justice Kerferd held that there was a constitutional power in Ministers to exclude aliens; but Justices Williams, Holroyd, A'Beckett, and Wrenfordsley decided there was no power to exclude. The decision was in favour of plaintiff by four to two.

H.M.S. NELSON left for London yesterday. H.M.S. Calliope is to leave to-day for Fiji, with Admiral Fairfax on board, and thence for a cruise.

THE Victorian Railway Commissioners have accepted the tender of the Phœnix Foundry Company, Ballarat, for the manufacture of 25 engines for £71,100.

A MEETING of the senate of the University yesterday elected Dr. Pockley as lecturer in ophthalmic medicine, and afterwards considered a report from the Faculty of Medicine proposing a new medical curriculum.

THE P. and O. steamer Coromandel has arrived at Albany from Colombo.

THE old cable is reported to be broken between Banjoewangie and Port Darwin, near the Java end.

A PUBLIC meeting at Laggan has agreed that the permanent survey from Goulburn to Crookwell, through the village reserve at Macalister, as the best route for the proposed railway, as it will serve the largest number of residents.

A DISCOVERY of coal is reported near Picton. It is said that there are four or five distinct seams, ranging from 6ft. to 2000ft. thick.

THE new courthouse at Dubbo has been erected at a total cost of £15,000. It is proposed that it shall be opened by the Chief Justice.

THE New South Wales Typographical Society has resolved to support the Brisbane compositors in their demand for an increase of wages.

MR. J. A. MARTIN is announced as the free trade candidate for Redfern. The Protection and Political Reform League has resolved to render all possible help to Mr. P. Howe.

MR. CARRUTHERS, M.L.A., says that the time is fast approaching when local self-government must come into force. Then the municipalities or the shire councils would have much more extensive powers of taxation, and the members of the Legislative Assembly would be free to act as statesmen, instead of always running to the Minister for every petty little thing.

THE Governor on his visit to the West stayed at Dunlop station, where he is reported to have "sheared a sheep in a very creditable manner." His Excellency speaks highly of the cordial welcome he receives everywhere.

THE Albury show promises this year to be a great success. The entries are 1800, being 100 more than last year.

THE excitement over the strike at Newcastle has abated a good deal. There are two small collieries now being worked in the Newcastle district by non-union men, who state that they are determined to resist the strikers.

IT is estimated in connection with the miners' dispute that upwards of £35,000 paid fortnightly in wages has been suddenly stopped, that 30 intercolonial steamers have been thrown out of employment and their crews discharged, and that thousands of wharf labourers in the seaports of the colonys are rendered idle.

AT a special meeting of the committee of the Municipal Association of New South Wales, yesterday afternoon, Mr. W. A. Hutchinson suggested that the association should compile annually statistics in connection with municipal work.

IT was resolved at a meeting of the Local Option League yesterday afternoon to use every influence in support of the Local Veto Bill which was introduced into the Assembly by Mr. Alexander Hutchison, M.L.A.

RAIN is reported from a large number of country towns. At Dubbo the total fall was 80 points.

THE R.M.S. Mariposa arrived at San Francisco on Saturday, from Sydney.

IT is now believed that the supposed case of small-pox at Launceston is only chicken-pox.

As our readers have already been given to understand, the Trades and Labour Council of Sydney is acting with commendable caution in endeavouring to make some inquiries before finally committing itself to give the full support of its powerful organisation to the cause of the Newcastle miners. On some previous occasions the Council has given its support to labour movements without taking so much trouble to hear both sides, and it is a good sign that with growing experience there is a larger sense of the responsibility which devolves on the leaders of the Labour Council. That organisation is not merely a trades union—it is the focus of all the trades unions. It has the command to a large extent, because it has the confidence, of all the trades unions in the colony, and, it may be said, of the unions in the other colonies. It can touch a spring which can move a hundred springs. It can go far to consolidate all the organised labour of all the colonies. The extent to which labour is now organised and federated surpasses anything that has ever existed before, and it is because we are in the presence of a new state of things—one for which there is no precedent, to which there has been no parallel—that we must get away from the thraldom of old ideas and prejudices and study the situation as it is. The committee of the Trades and Labour Council have more power in this matter than any voluntary mediators, and they can prolong or shorten the strike very much according to the way they decide, but this makes it all the more important that their decision should be based on knowledge.

In a community which consists very largely of the two classes of employers and employed, it is not only natural but inevitable that there should be class feeling. Whenever a strike breaks out, it is to be expected that in the first instance the sympathies should be on the part of each class with its own order; but moderate and impartial persons will always hold their judgment in suspense till they get to some understanding of the matter. And as long as merely opinions and sympathies are concerned, class support of this intangible kind is not of practical importance; but it becomes a very different thing when substantial support is accorded for the purpose of waging a civil war—for a strike is a civil war, and one which involves the payment of war taxes. It is obvious that if an employers' union were to take up the case of every employer against his workmen without any attempt to ascertain whether his cause was a just one, public opinion would condemn such a course as unjust and unwise, and as not calculated to bring about a fair settlement of the relative claims of labour and capital. And so, on the other hand, if the support of labour is given to every labour quarrel, without any attempt to understand the real rights of the question, such a course will widen the feeling between the classes, will embitter every contest, and will create unnecessary difficulties in the way of reconciliation.

It is important to insist on these observations just now, because Mr. CURLEY, by his manifesto, has intimated that he rests mainly for the support of his cause on the contributions of working-men in other trades and in other colonies; and, if he can show that he is entitled to that support, and can prove that there has been grinding oppression, something that would justify a most determined resistance, he will no doubt get that support. But what is also clear is that he has not proved that, and has not attempted to prove it. As we have already pointed out, his statement is inconsistent with itself, for if he is fighting to force the masters into an agreement by which all disputes shall be amicably settled, he cannot be at the same time fighting for that permanent quarrel over the more equable distribution of wealth. Moreover, many of his statements are directly at variance with what is stated on the other side.

case, therefore, as it stands is not one of implicit belief in Mr. CURLEY, but one for full inquiry, and an honest attempt to get at the truth. And indeed this appears to be the impression in various quarters; for while instead of a prompt response to Mr. CURLEY's appeal so far as opinion and sympathy are concerned we do not hear of prompt response so far as any substantial subscription is concerned. There seems to be a very general disposition to wait a little before backing up the strike with that immense support which consolidated labour organisations can command if they all become earnest on the subject.

But as we have said before, there never was a time when the responsibility attaching to consolidated labour movements was so great as it is now. This coal strike is, so far as the general public is concerned, and so far as the industry and commerce of the colony are concerned, the most important thing of the kind that has yet happened in our history, for the miners are not only striking themselves, but they are taxing the funds of their own class, and they are stopping the supply of coal, which means the supply of steam. Before, then, the strike receives the support of the labour class generally, that class ought to have some kind of authoritative assurance that it is justifiable and unavoidable. Yet we already hear of strong expressions of sympathy from places so distant as Adelaide and Brisbane; but it may be well asked how can the people there really understand the merits of the case. Our readers know the great pains we have been at to get all the information possible, and yet we venture to say that there are very few persons in this colony who can say what necessity there was for this strike to take place at all, or what difficulties the men had that could not have been overcome. Certainly, the stoppage of the discussion over the agreement was their own separate act, and had they been anxious to go on with the discussion, they would not have intercalated a strike ballot between the meetings. If the people of this colony really cannot see the necessity for the strike, it will be a very strange thing if that necessity is recognised in the other colonies. The more the matter is studied, the more it seems clear that no strike should receive a large and consolidated support unless there is clear warrant for it. Into this the Trades and Labour Council is now making inquisition, and though it is from the nature of the case a class organisation, and therefore a one-sided authority, its decision, though not that of an impartial arbitrator, will carry immense weight with the class it represents. The responsibility of committing the consolidated labour interest of the country to a prolonged stoppage of our coal supply is a very heavy one—heavier than any that has yet weighed upon that Council, and its influence for good or evil in this community will very largely depend upon the wisdom it displays at the present crisis.

The decision given by the Supreme Court of Victoria yesterday, in an action arising out of the recent Chinese difficulty, agrees substantially with decisions given by our own Court in the cases of LO PAK and LEONG ON, although the proceedings were brought in a somewhat different form. LO PAK was a passenger by the Afghan and LEONG ON was a passenger by the Menmuir. Both were prevented from landing by order of the New South Wales Government, and in each case a writ of habeas corpus was obtained, calling upon the Inspector of Police, who represented the Government, to show why the Chinamen were detained on board the vessels in question. The return to the writ in both cases was a statement that the police had acted under instructions from the Government, and the Court in both cases declared the return bad, and ordered the discharge of the Chinamen. In the Victorian case, CHUN TEONG was similarly detained on board the ship in Melbourne. Instead of applying for a writ of habeas, he brought an action against the Collector of Customs (Mr. MUSGRAVE), who had prevented him from landing under instructions from the Government. The pleadings raised certain questions of law, which were referred to the Full Court, consisting of six judges, it being agreed that the result of the action should depend upon the determination of the Full Court on those points, subject to the right of either party to appeal to the Privy Council. The case was argued on the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th July, and the Court, after deliberating nearly two months, gave judgment yesterday for the plaintiff by a majority of 4 to 2. The CHIEF JUSTICE (Mr. HIGINBOTHAM) and Mr. Justice KERFERD upheld the Government, but they were overruled by the votes of Mr. Justice WILLIAMS, Mr. Justice HOLROYD, Mr. Justice A'BECKETT, and Mr. Justice WRENFORDSLEY.

In this case, as in the cases of LO PAK and LEONG ON, the main question which the Court had to decide was, whether a colonial Governor acting by the advice of his Ministers, had the power which a "Sovereign State" possesses of excluding aliens for reasons of public policy. The Full Court here, consisting in the first instance of the CHIEF JUSTICE, Mr. Justice WINDEYER, and Mr. Justice FOSTER, and in the second instance of the CHIEF JUSTICE, Mr. Justice WINDEYER, and Mr. Justice INNES, held unanimously that no such power was vested in the colonial Government, and that if it existed at all it could only be exercised by the Sovereign on the advice of her Ministers. In the first of the two cases, Sir FREDERICK DARLEY not only laid it down that the Government of this colony possesses no such power, but pointed out that although the Sovereign of England might have the power according to the dicta laid down by writers on international law, it was not a power, so far as he could understand, that had ever been exercised in England. On the contrary, even in times of war, when it had been necessary to exclude aliens from the realm, or to deal with aliens then present in the realm, it had been considered necessary to pass a statute for the express purpose of enabling it to be done. In the second case, in which the point was strongly pressed by the counsel for the Government, the CHIEF JUSTICE was still more emphatic. "The power which it has been contended the Governor or Government may have power to exercise cannot," he said, "exist in a colony such as this is, depending on a superior Government." The power to exclude aliens from the territory, he went on to say, was the prerogative of the sovereign, and there was nothing in the Constitution Act, or the GOVERNOR's instructions, to show that her MAJESTY had surrendered her prerogative either to the Legislature or to the Executive, or that there had been a delegation of her authority to the GOVERNOR. On these grounds it was held that the Chinese were wrongfully detained.

The Victorian case runs on the same lines, and the decision is practically the same, as the decision of our Court. The chief defence set up by the COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS to the plaintiff's claim was that what he did was an "act of State," for which an alien could not recover damages. Mr. Justice WILLIAMS, in giving the judgment of the majority of the Court, recognised the principle that an alien cannot seek redress in the municipal courts for an act of State, no matter how wrongful the act may be; but the colony of Victoria, he went on to say, is not a sovereign power, nor is sovereign power vested in the Governor of the colony. To render the act complained of an act of State either the ratification of her MAJESTY's advisers would be required, or, if the sovereign power were vested in the Governor, the ratification of the Governor. He said further that presumably the prerogative existed in England, but if the right of exclusion existed in Victoria it must exist by virtue of some law, and if it was not to be found in the Constitution Act, no other Act could give it. This is the view of the majority of the Court, and it agrees with common sense. The whole question rests upon the point as to whether colonies like New South Wales and Victoria are sovereign states, and it is difficult to understand how anyone can argue that they are in that position. The power which a sovereign state possesses for the exclusion of aliens might of course have been delegated; but it is perfectly clear that it has not been delegated. Whether these colonies should possess the power of excluding aliens is another question altogether; what the Courts have had to consider, and what the Governments should have considered before they took the responsibility of refusing admission to Chinese immigrants, is the existence or non-existence of the legal power so to act.

The decision of the Victorian Court, like that of our own, is plain and intelligible, but it is difficult to follow the reasoning of Chief Justice HIGINBOTHAM, who, with Mr. Justice KERFERD, constituted the minority. He seems to hold two sets of views, one of which contradicts the other. The step taken by the Collector of Customs in preventing the landing of the plaintiff could not, in his opinion, be called an act of State in the sense that it was an act which had been ratified by her Majesty or her advisers. Victoria, like other self-governing British colonies, he went on to say, is a dependency of Great Britain. It possesses by statute law very large, almost plenary, powers of internal self-government, but all the prerogatives of the SOVEREIGN are not vested by law in her representative. For these reasons he was of opinion that the action could not be successfully defended on the plea that the detention of the plaintiff was an "act of State" in the sense implied by the defendants; but as to the question whether the Victorian Government had the legal right to prevent the plaintiff from landing, he thought it should be answered in the affirmative, on the ground that the right to exclude aliens and foreigners is a right that must be considered inherent in a constituted Government. Then comes this singular sentence:—"Every independent State like Victoria can exercise this right, and is not forbidden by any rule of international law." Are we to take this as an expression of opinion on the part of the CHIEF JUSTICE of Victoria that the Australian colonies are independent States? If this is the meaning of the words, if this is the position the learned Judge takes, he might, one would think, have shortened his elaborate judgment very considerably, for if it was assumed that these colonies are independent, or, in other words, Sovereign States, what was there to argue? But Chief Justice HIGINBOTHAM is probably the only Judge in Australia who would have used words like these. The Courts, first in New South Wales, and now in Victoria, have determined that the power of the Sovereign State to exclude aliens has not even been delegated to these colonies, and that the attempt on the part of the local Governments to exercise it was a wrongful act. Ministers both in Victoria and New South Wales have been taught a lesson.

The signing of the Sugar Bounties Convention is to be regarded with much gratification, although we may agree with the British and Colonial Anti-Bounty Society in regretting the delay in bringing it into operation. Perhaps there is not much reason for surprise in this delay, because vested interests have been brought into existence by the bounty system, and although the representatives who have signed the Convention have admitted in principle that the system is a bad one, allowance had to be made for the private interests that would have been injured by bringing it suddenly to an end. The chief point to be observed, however, is that the agreement in principle which is notified by the signing of the Convention marks a distinct movement in the direction of free trade. Here we have a number of countries, which have been endeavouring to create and to maintain an important branch of industry by a protective policy, operating through a system of bounties. The experiment has been under trial for years. The representatives of these countries, after discussing the whole question in an exhaustive manner, with all the facts that could bear upon it brought before them, have decided that it ought to be abolished. This is practically an admission that the policy is unsound. They propose that the bounties shall cease to be paid, and that the sugar manufacture in each country respectively shall be no longer artificially stimulated in this respect, at any rate, by the action of the State. The principle of protecting the sugar manufacture by bounties had been so generally adopted in Europe, that the hope of procuring its abandonment had for a long time appeared doubtful in the extreme. None of the countries which had resorted to it seemed inclined (even though dissatisfied with its results) to discontinue it whilst neighbours persevered in its retention. The only chance appeared to lie in a general, if not unanimous, consent that the bounties should cease. This the conference has brought about, and the primary significance of the Convention is that, whereas protection in this form has hitherto been generally adopted, the parties to the Convention have declared that it is better to allow trade in sugar to be carried on without any such artificial aid. The fact that provision is made for excluding from the countries which adopt the Convention sugar produced in countries where bounties may still be paid, cannot destroy the significance of the general consent to abandon protection in this matter and to adopt free trade. As we have before pointed out, the difficulty in starting a reaction from protection to free trade lay in the initiative; and it is easy to understand that great sugar-producing countries which have been hitherto fighting each other with bounties would insist upon such a provision as this for the purpose of preventing any one of their number from obtaining undue advantage over the rest. England can assent to the provision as an essential part of a general agreement, the main and distinctive effect of which is to enlarge the area and influence of free trade.

In replying to a deputation urging the Government to provide a site for noxious trades, the PREMIER promised on Saturday that the matter should be brought before the Government, "not for consideration, as it had already been considered, but for decision within the next ten days." He also said that the simple question to decide now was the dedication of a site. It is certainly to be hoped that this question will be decided now in a practical and satisfactory way. The fact that it has remained for so many years under consideration is enough to show that the time for action has arrived. The PREMIER said that there were persons who thought it would be better for the trades in question not to be congregated together. To us it appears that the public interest must suffer if they are scattered about and carried on, as is necessarily the case, in the most unfavourable manner. Under present conditions the people who carry on these trades are liable to be prosecuted criminally for creating a nuisance, and to be hunted from place to place wherever they may go as soon as population follows them. But these trades must be continued as long as we have offal and refuse to dispose of, and under existing circumstances they can only be managed in a primitive and wasteful way. The scheme that has been under consideration for a long time is to collect them together on a site which is now distant from population, and to preserve them from the approach of population by reserving a considerable borderland of space from settlement, and planting it with trees. On this site the works could be carried on under the supervision of the Government, and yet with a security against disturbance, which would justify the parties in building substantial premises, procuring costly appliances, adopting scientific and economical methods, and providing in the most effective way against waste of resources and injury to the public health. The time has gone by for listening to objections to the main principles of the scheme. They have been answered long ago. And it ought to be too late now to allow the execution of the project to be further delayed by tactics of obstruction.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE Cabinet will meet at noon to-day to consider several important questions. The Executive Council will meet at 5 p.m., and in the absence of his Excellency the Governor, will be presided over by the vice-president, Mr. Julian Salomons, M.L.C.

MR. BRUNKER, M.L.A., who was recently appointed Minister for Lands, will commence his official duties to-morrow.

THE Government have determined that the buildings erected at Rookwood for the purpose of a reformatory shall be used as an agricultural college. These buildings cost something like £14,000, but have never been put to the use for which intended, or, in fact, to any use whatever. The spacious grounds which surround them will probably be converted into a model farm.

THE Government, having leased the buildings recently erected in Castlereagh-street by the Society of the Oddfellows, are now having them fitted up for the purposes of the Central Police Court and lock-up. Seven prison cells have been erected, and the alterations now being made will be completed by the end of the present month, so that it is expected the new premises will be occupied by the 1st proximo. The shabby old buildings in George-street, adjoining the markets, will then be pulled down without delay. The Government's lease of the new premises is for a period of three years, commencing in January last.

H.M.S. NELSON, which has been in commission for some years, and acted as flagship on this station, left for Plymouth, via Mauritius and Cape Town, yesterday having been relieved by H.M.S. Orlando. The Nelson's commission has been a most successful one, her name is a household word, and her officers and her crew have during their stay in Sydney, made themselves exceedingly popular. It is not to be wondered at therefore, that many people assembled on Fort Macquarie and in the neighbourhood of Mrs. Macquarie's Chair, to witness the departure of the late flagship, and to wish all hands homeward bound a safe voyage. The boatmen stationed at Fort Macquarie in order to show their appreciation, gave the crew a send-off, which probably all will remember. The watermen had decked their boats out with bunting, and went through a series of evolutions around the Nelson. After cheers and counter cheers, the Nelson's band played "The Girl I left Behind Me." The yards were manned and the moorings were slipped. The fine vessel then proceeded slowly to sea, taking with her the good wishes of all on shore. She cleared the Heads just before dusk.

THE only case disposed of yesterday by the Full Court was the equity appeal, Hale v. Giblin and others. The plaintiff, formerly manager of the Bank of New Zealand, applied to the Equity Court some time ago to obtain an interlocutory injunction to restrain Messrs. Giblin, Durham, and Macnamara, the trustees of his assigned estate, from transferring to the bank his one-third interest in the lease of certain land now known as the Rosehill Racecourse, and which had been purchased out of the moneys of the bank advanced by Hale as manager. The Primary Judge dismissed the application, and plaintiff now appealed to the Full Court to reverse this decision. The Court, however, were unanimously of opinion that the decision of the Primary Judge was correct, and they dismissed the appeal. They also directed that the costs of the trustees should be paid as between solicitor and client.

THE hearing of the action for alleged libel brought by Mr. G. R. Dibbs against the *Daily Telegraph* was continued at No. 1 Jury Court yesterday. The examination of Mr. James Thomson, formerly consulting accountant at the Treasury, was concluded, and the evidence of Sir Patrick Jennings was also taken. It is expected that counsel will address the jury this morning.

THE Mayor entertained the members of the Town Hall Dialectic Society at a social meeting last evening. The gathering was restricted to the members of the society and their lady friends. The proceedings were of an enjoyable character, not the least interesting item being the mixed programme of songs and recitations, in which the following took part:—Messrs. Richards, Palmer, Pidcock, Paton, Wastree, Adams, Pigeon, St. Julian, Dongan, Brodarick, Morrison, and Barnet.

A LARGE number of people assembled at Waverley Cemetery yesterday afternoon to pay the last sad tribute of respect to the memory of the late Dr. George Marshall, who died on Saturday morning after the exhaustion consequent on a stroke of paralysis in the previous week. Before the funeral cortege left the residence of the deceased, Dr. Kelynack conducted a short service, and at the grave the Rev. J. D. Langley, aided by other clergymen, conducted the funeral service, and delivered an impressive and touching address on the life of the late doctor. He bore testimony to that gentleman's many noble traits of character, his genial nature, warm-hearted generosity, honourable name in the State, sympathy with suffering, and true devotion to the highest duties of his profession. The large attendance of professional brethren, clergymen of all denominations, and leading citizens, and very many old patients indicated the esteem in which he was held by the general community.

THE members of the Anthrax Board left Sydney by the 9 o'clock train last evening for Old Junee station to be present at the first vaccination of cattle and sheep in connection with the public demonstration by the representatives of M. Pasteur. The second vaccination will be performed in about nine or 10 days' time, and the inoculation will be made at the end of the present month, on which occasion Mr. Gibbs of Albury will be afforded an opportunity of proving whether his remedy for anthrax is effectual or not.

MR. F. B. KYNGDON writes us to say that it was not owing to any want of arrangement on the part of the Tourists' Bureau that no conductors were provided for the trip of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science to the Prospect dam. Our correspondent says the conductors were members of the association, who had kindly undertaken to show our visitors round on their various trips, but for this particular excursion none of them were able to leave their duties in connection with the meetings of the association, hence the inconvenience which arose.

FOUR Devon bulls were brought to this port yesterday by the steamer Australasian, which arrived early in the afternoon. The animals are pedigree stock from well known herds in neighbourhood of Barnstaple. They have been purchased for Mr. James Mitchell, of Tabletop station, Albury.

REFERRING to an advertisement which stated that Mr. J. V. Lavers was engaged to address a public meeting of the electors of Redfern on behalf of Mr. Howe, Mr. Lavers writes to inform us that up to this time he has taken no part whatever in the coming election.

WE are requested to state that in connection with the Charity Ball in aid of the Women's Refuge, Tempe, a special train will leave Sydney at 2 a.m. on Wednesday morning, calling at all stations to Parramatta.

IN a paragraph appearing in yesterday's issue, referring to a presentation made on Saturday at the Central Police Court, Mr. Charles Roberts was stated to be the recipient. It should have been Mr. Charles Robertson.

THE following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral this afternoon, at 4.30:—Magnificat: Winchester, in F. Nunc Dimittis: Winchester, in F. Anthem: "King all Glorious" (Barnby).

THE report for the week ending September 1 of the number of pauper patients under treatment in the Metropolitan hospitals at the Government expense, was as follows:—Coast Hospital: Remaining in on August 25, 1888, 150 males, 19 females; admissions, 25 males, 3 females; discharges, 21 males, 2 females; deaths, 4 males; number remaining, 150 males, 61 females. Sydney Hospital: Remaining in on August 25, 1888, 42 males, 20 females; admissions, 11 males, 2 females; discharges, 8 males, 7 females; death, 1 male; number remaining, 42 males, 22 females. Prince Alfred Hospital: Remaining in on August 25, 1888, 40 males, 33 females; admissions, 8 males, 4 females; discharges, 6 males, 4 females; deaths, 1 male, 1 female; number remaining, 41 males, 42 females.

THE SIKKIM EXPEDITION.

PREPARATIONS FOR ATTACK BY THE BRITISH.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 3.

General Graham, with 1600 British troops under his command, is making preparations to attack the Thibetans, and intends to expel them from Sikkim.

EVICTIONS IN IRELAND.

LORD CLANRICARDE AND HIS TENANTS.

DESPERATE RESISTANCE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 2.

One hundred and fifty soldiers and two hundred policemen were present to protect the bailiffs in the eviction of two tenants on the estate of Lord Clanricarde in Ireland. The houses were turned into fortifications. Desperate fighting ensued on the roofs, and the police used swords and bayonets. The defenders hurled stones at the attacking party. Thirty-one persons were arrested.

CARDINAL MORAN IN IRELAND.

DR. LOGUE TO BE INVESTED WITH THE PALLIUM.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 3.

Cardinal Moran will perform the ceremony of investing Dr. Michael Logue, Coadjutor Archbishop of Armagh, with the pallium on the 9th instant.

THE EARTHQUAKES IN NEW ZEALAND.

FURTHER SLIGHT SHOCKS.

SEVERAL LANDSLIPS TAKEN PLACE.

HOMESTEADS REPORTED WRECKED.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

AUCKLAND, MONDAY.

Two slight shocks of earthquake were felt at Christchurch early this morning. Further particulars of Saturday's earthquake show that at Lyttelton the water in the harbour was agitated, and vessels were observed to swing at their moorings. At Hanmer Plains the springs were in great commotion, throwing up quantities of mud and gas. The shocks seemed to come from the west.

A continual noise like distant thunder was heard at short intervals on Saturday and Sunday. Several rents in the earth have occurred in various places at Hanmer Plains and the Upper Waiau. Gas is bubbling up from a number of them. Huge rocks rolled down the hillsides, and several landslips have taken place. One or two homesteads are reported to be wrecked at Hopefield, Woodbank, and Glynnwye. No person has been injured.

A rabbit inspector who walked across Hanmer Plains on Saturday states that the shocks there were very violent. No stone building could have stood. The plains are still in active motion.

Professor Hutton, in writing to the *Press*, remarks that the earthquake must have originated somewhere in the west, probably in the Amuri county. He infers this from the time at which the earthquake occurred in the different places, first at Greymouth and Westport, then at Christchurch, Wellington, and Nelson, and lastly at Invercargill, Dunedin, and New Plymouth.

The shock was felt over a radius of 360 miles from the centre of the disturbance, and it is remarkable that the shock so widely extended should have done so little damage. This is probably due to the centre of the disturbance lying down in the earth, so that the earth wave at the surface was more vertical than usual.

GARDENING.

At this time of the year professional and amateur gardeners are very busy cultivating their ground. The welcome rain, too, will soon necessitate cutting the grass on the lawn and tennis court. There is only one establishment that devotes a whole department to horticultural tools, and keeps experts for repairs. We need hardly add this is F. Lassetter and Co., Limited.—[ADVT.]

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The Railway Commissioners have accepted the tender of the Phoenix Foundry Company, Ballarat, for the manufacture of 25 double radial locomotive tank engines for £71,100. The tender of O'Carroll Bros. to complete the Myrtleford and Bright railway was accepted at £67,448. The length of the line is 19 miles 41 chains.

The annual show of the Australian Sheep Breeders' Association was opened to the public to-day, and was largely attended. The Governor opened the show.

In regard to the supposed outbreak of smallpox in Tasmania, the Board of Health to-day decided that no interference in the passenger traffic or commercial intercourse between the two colonies would be necessary.

A case of trichinosis was reported to have occurred at Clunes this morning. A family named Healy became affected after having eaten underdone pork. The patients are progressing favourably.

The attendance at the Exhibition to-day numbered 6559. The concerts, both in the afternoon and evening, were successful.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

A special meeting of the Cabinet was held this afternoon to consider the case of Benjamin Kitts, who is undergoing a sentence in Townsville gaol for larceny of three pairs of boots. At a former Cabinet meeting it was decided to recommend the release of Kitts under the Offenders' Probation Act, but the Governor declined to accede to this. Ministers now decided that if his Excellency adheres to his decision they will at once resign their offices as his responsible advisers. It is understood the decision of the Cabinet has been communicated to the Governor by the Premier in person.

It has been arranged that if nothing intervenes to alter the position of the Ministers, the Treasurer will deliver his financial statement on Thursday afternoon.

The revenue for the month of August amounted to £293,547, being an increase of £30,427 as compared with August last year. The increase is distributed over all branches of the revenue, the principal being—Customs, £9000; railways, £17,000; stamp duty, £15,000; land revenue, £4000.

Robert Geddes, who was arrested at the Melbourne Exhibition on a charge of larceny as a clerk of £200, was brought up at the police court this morning and remanded. The charge against Geddes is to be changed to falsifying accounts.

The steamer Iron, laden with log timber, was burnt to the water's edge at Bowen early this morning.

The London Chartered Bank of Australia took possession of their handsome and extensive new premises in Queen-street to-day.

The directors of the Queensland National Bank have decided to increase the paid up capital of the bank to £800,000, by the issue of 20,540 new shares at a premium of £3 10s. per share. The last issue of shares was made in March, 1884, and since that period the figures in the balance-sheet have nearly doubled, whilst the number of branches and agencies has increased from 40 to 73.

The committee of the Irish evicted tenants' fund to-day forwarded a draft of £200 to the Lord Mayor of Dublin.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, MONDAY.

To-day was observed as a close holiday, on account of the Eight-hours' Demonstration, which passed off successfully. The weather was fine. Sports in connection with the demonstration were held in the old Exhibition Grounds, and the Sheffield Handicap fell to C. Darmody, who had a start of 12 yards, R. McNamara being second, and W. C. Hughes third. During the day the Governor and members of Parliament visited the grounds. It is estimated that the attendance was about 12,000.

The Port branches of the Eight Hours' combination held a demonstration at Torrens Island. Though not so extensive as the city demonstration it was eminently successful. In the afternoon a football match was played between the South Adelaides and Ports on the Adelaide Oval. The result was—Ports, 5 goals 5 behinds to 4 goals 14 behinds. In the evening the various places of amusement were well attended.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, MONDAY.

It is now believed that the case of supposed smallpox at Launceston is only chicken-pox, which has been very prevalent there lately. The patient is doing well.

The s.s. Kaikoura arrived to-day from London, July 26. She brings 130 passengers.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL AT ALBANY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, MONDAY.

The P. and O. R.M.S. Coromandel, Captain Reeve, arrived from Colombo at 1.30 a.m. The following are the passengers:—

For ADELAIDE: Mr. and Mrs. Toms and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Dowell and child, Mr. Albert Albert.

For MELBOURNE: Dr. and Mrs. O'Hara and child, Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins, Messrs. Downie, Batt, Birne, Yglesia, Mesdames Gillot, Spaas, Misses Hopkins and Gallagher.

For SYDNEY: Mr. and Mrs. Plante, Messrs. Spottiswood, Wallace, Wilson, Fraser, Hartley, Walford, Reads, Harton, Pantheram, Agnew, Hobart, Prinsep, Zealand, Bugg, Scales, Dr. Simpson, Major Gough, Captain Gough, Mrs. Edwards.

The Coromandel also brings 45 for all ports in the other classes.

ANOTHER BREAK IN THE CABLE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The postal authorities have received an intimation that the old cable between Banjoewangie and Port Darwin is again broken near the Java end.

LATER NEWS FROM NEW GUINEA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

A telegram from New Guinea, via Cooktown, dated 28th August, states that the Juanita party returned to Samarai all well, having procured 112oz. of splendid gold during the six weeks they were on Sudest Island. Twenty-five men are working there at present. A considerable quantity of pearlshell, copra, and beche-de-mer has been sent from Samarai during the last three months. The natives are quiet.

THE WATER SUPPLY OF BROKEN HILL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

At a sitting of the Land Board to-day, before Messrs. Thompson and Gowe, Mr. De Courcy Browne applied for seven areas of land, six of 320 acres, and one of 272 acres, on Stephen's Creek, for water conservation for the supply of Broken Hill and district. Mr. Johnson appeared for the applicant, and Mr. Edwards for the objectors to the application, Messrs. Nolan, Lloyd, and Thomas, who claimed to be possessed of water rights under the Mining Act. Mr. M'Carthy watched the case on behalf of Messrs. Stockdale and Hughes, the holders of certain leasehold and freehold interests in the vicinity of the land applied for. Wm. Orr gave evidence, stating the objects of the proposed company, and the works proposed to be erected by the company on the land applied for. J. T. Williams, as an uninterested person, gave evidence, and said that some scheme for supplying the town with water was necessary. Joseph Nolan, one of the objectors, gave evidence that he had a water right, and that if the applicant's weir were erected, it would mean ruin to his scheme, and the money subscribed by the shareholders would have to be returned. H. Stockdale gave evidence in support of the objection. The decision was reserved till to-morrow.

THE CHINESE QUESTION.

THE EXCLUSION OF CHINESE FROM AMERICA.

THE REJECTION OF THE TREATY BY CHINA.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, SEPT. 2.

A correspondent's article in the *Times* declares that the arrogance of Sir Henry Parkes towards China caused the rejection by China of the treaty between that country and the United States for the exclusion of Chinese from America for 20 years. The writer also considers that Chinese emigration from Hongkong ought to be checked, and that the pauper laws should be enforced in Australia with regard to the Chinese.

It is the general opinion in New York that the Chinese treaty was rejected owing to the amendments made by the Senate in the original text of the treaty.

ACTION AGAINST THE VICTORIAN COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.

JUDGMENT GIVEN AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

This morning the Supreme Court gave judgment in the action brought by Ah Toy, a Chinese, against Mr. A. W. Musgrove, Collector of Customs, to recover £1000 damages for not being allowed to land in Victoria. The plaintiff was a passenger on board the steamer Afghan, which arrived in Hobson's Bay in April last. The vessel carried more Chinese passengers than was allowed by the Victorian law. The plaintiff tendered £10, the amount of the poll tax on Chinese. This, Mr. Musgrove, the Collector of Customs, acting under the directions of the Government, refused to accept, and this action was brought against the defendant to recover damages for loss sustained in consequence of that refusal. The questions of law raised by the pleadings were referred to the Full Court, it being agreed that the result of the action should depend upon the determination of the Full Court on those points, subject to the right of either party to appeal to the Privy Council. The questions of law were argued before all the Judges of the Supreme Court in July in the Banco Court. The Judges present were the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Williams, Mr. Justice Holroyd, Mr. Justice Kerferd, Mr. Justice A'Beckett, and Mr. Justice Wrenfordsley.

The Chief Justice read his judgment, which was in effect as follows:—A Judge's order was made by consent of the parties that the action should be determined by the decision of the Full Court on the argument of questions of law raised on the pleadings, subject to the right of either party to appeal from the decision of this Court to her Majesty-in-Council. The plaintiff is a subject of the Emperor of China, and not a British subject. He arrived at Port Melbourne in the British ship Afghan on 27th April, 1888, and was then an immigrant arriving from ports beyond Victoria within the meaning of the Chinese Immigrants' Statute, 1865, and the Chinese Act, 1881. The Afghan carried 268 Chinese immigrants, including plaintiff, being 254 more than she could lawfully, under the said statutes, bring. The defendant is a Collector of Customs within the meaning of the last-mentioned Act. Previous to the arrival of the ship he had received instructions from the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, as and being responsible to the Minister of the Crown for Victoria, charged and entrusted with the administration of the laws of Victoria relating to customs and immigration. That there was apprehension on the part of her Majesty's Government for Victoria that a large influx of Chinese into the colony was imminent; that in the opinion of the Ministers of the Government such influx would be a danger and menace to the colony, and to the public peace thereof, and her Majesty's Government. It was for the advantage of her Majesty's subjects residing in Victoria that such influx should be prevented; that no further Chinese other than such as were British subjects should be allowed to enter Victoria, and that the Minister of her Majesty's Government had determined to refuse a permit to any Chinese other than British subjects to land or enter the colony. The plaintiff complained that, although the master of the Afghan was ready and willing to pay to the defendant as Collector of Customs, in respect of plaintiff, the sum of £10, as provided by section 3 of the Chinese Act, 1881, the defendant refused to allow plaintiff to land in Victoria, and hindered and prevented the plaintiff from landing in Victoria, and refused to receive the said sum of £10. The defendant admits the act charged. He asserts that the instruction, opinion, and determination of the Minister and the Government had been previously communicated to him by them; that several acts complained of were done by him in obedience to such instruction and determination as such officer of her Majesty's Customs, by command of our lady the Queen; that he subsequently reported his acts to Her Majesty's said responsible Minister, and that they were by him and by her Majesty's said Government ratified and approved as being acts of State. Upon these facts disclosed in the pleadings, and which are to be taken as admitted only so far as is necessary for argument, and determination of the question of law raised by the pleadings, two grounds of defence, distinct and distinguishable from each other, had been relied on by the defendant. Before proceeding to decide the questions of law connected with these grounds, it will be convenient to notice the objection taken for the plaintiff at the outset of the argument. The defence on legal grounds to the action in both aspects rests partly on the material allegation that the acts complained of were done in obedience to the instructions of her Majesty's Victorian Government, but the pleadings are silent about any advice given by her Majesty's Government to, or commands given to them by the Governor of Victoria. It has been argued that it is consistent with the allegations in the pleadings that the Governor was never advised of this matter by the Ministers, and did not at any time authorise or ratify their act. The Attorney-General contended that under the constitutional system of Victoria the prerogatives and powers of the Crown of England might be considered indifferently to be vested either in the Governor as the representative of the Crown, or in the members of her Majesty's Government for Victoria. In England, all prerogatives and powers of government are lodged absolutely in the Sovereign. The Sovereign's responsible advisers have no legal powers of government whatever vested in them. They have the right to advise the Sovereign, and it is their duty to obey and carry into execution the act and commands of the Sovereign founded upon such advice. The Constitution Act, following the English exemplar, creates and vests in the Governor certain powers, but none in his advisers. The Governor, appointed by the Sovereign, derives his constitutional powers from the Constitution Act to which the Sovereign assented. He is, therefore, properly styled and regarded as the representative of the Crown in the character of a depositary of his statutory powers. The Victorian Ministers are appointed by the Governor. They have no legal powers of government whatever vested in them by the Constitution Act. They have the right to exercise functions of advising the Governor as the representative of the Sovereign in the exercise of his statutory powers, and their duty is to obey and carry into execution the act and commands of the Governor founded upon such advice. In this view of the legal relations between the Sovereign and the representative in Victoria and Her Majesty's responsible Ministers for Victoria, the difficulty that appeared to exist in the argument will be found to disappear. The first defence is of the nature of a dilatory plea. In effect it denies the jurisdiction of this Court to entertain the action. The second defence claims to present an answer to the action on its merits. The first of these defences, which denies the jurisdiction of the Court, is founded upon the view of the act of defendant having been ratified and adopted by her Majesty's Government of Victoria. It is an act of State, and is consequently not cognisable by a Municipal Court of Victoria. The act of State in the sense in which the terms are used in the present case may be considered either a challenge to war, or the invitation to treat the wrong complained of as one for which reparation cannot be obtained in the Municipal Court, be the subject of a claim for compensation or redress against the Sovereign of the State of which the alleged wrong-doer is a subject. The Sovereign of that State having adopted the act must be prepared to either allow the claim or disallow it; if the Sovereign disallows it, to support the disallowance by war or any other means at the command of the head of the independent State. Is the allegation in the

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present case, that the responsible Minister and her Majesty's Government for Victoria have ratified and approved of the acts of the defendant in preventing the plaintiff from landing, equivalent to an allegation that her Majesty has ratified those acts? Has her Majesty's Government for Victoria power to advise the Crown through the representative in Victoria upon a question of this kind, so as to make that an act of State which without her Majesty's sanction or authority, expressed or implied, would not be an act of State? I am of opinion that these questions must be answered in the negative. Victoria, like other self-governing British colonies, is a dependency of Great Britain. It possesses by statute of law very large and, in my opinion, almost plenary powers of internal self-government, but all the prerogatives and powers of the Sovereign are not vested by law in the representative in Victoria; nor can all of them be the subject of advice to the Governor by the Queen's Ministers for Victoria. The prerogatives of war and peace, negotiation and treaty, together with the power of entering into relations of diplomacy or trade, holding communication with other independent States, to some one or all of which power to do an act which shall constitute an act of State appears to be annexed, have not been vested in the Governor of Victoria by law express or implied; and it is not suggested in these pleadings that all or any of these prerogatives and powers have been superadded by Royal Commission or otherwise to those conferred on the Governor by statute of law, so as to make Victoria a trustee or agent of the Crown in the adoption of the act of an individual, and thus make the act the act of the Sovereign or an Act of State. Even if such powers had been so superadded they would be exercisable by the Governor only as the agent or trustee of the Crown, and not be subject to the responsible advice of the Minister of the Crown, for Victoria had not obtained the direct sanction of her Majesty, and could not by her own act in a matter of this kind bind the Crown. An English Minister could do so, because he acts for the Crown in respect of all its prerogatives and powers, and a Minister of the Crown for Victoria cannot do so, because he acts for the Crown in respect of such powers only as vested by the law in the Governor, of which power to do an act of State does not appear to be one. We are of opinion for these reasons that the act of defendant has not been made an act of State, and the jurisdiction of the Court to entertain the plaintiff's claim is not ousted. The second line of defence is of a different kind. It has been contended for defendant that his act is not only an act authorised and directed by the responsible Minister of his department, and afterwards adopted by her Majesty's Government for Victoria, but that the act was authorised by law as being an act done in the exercise of the existing power and prerogative of the Crown of England, to keep out or expel aliens at discretion; that this power or prerogative, or power equivalent to it, had as far as may be exercised for the safety and protection of the people of Victoria, passed by law and been vested in the representative of the Crown for Victoria. If this view be sustained the facts stated raise not a dilatory plea, but a plea in bar, and are a defence to the action. Plaintiff has failed, in my opinion, to answer the authorities relied on by defendant to show that the right to prevent aliens from landing on British soil, and remove them after they had landed, is the existing prerogative of the Sovereign of England. The great preponderance of authorities of both ancient and recent times is in favour of defendant's view upon this question. This prerogative has been undoubtedly exercised by the Sovereign of England, and is now in use in modern times. There is no evidence that the right became extinct. It is unnecessary to consider whether the right to exclude aliens is or is not continuing to be the prerogative of the Crown of England. The question we have to determine in the present case is whether power equivalent to this prerogative has been vested by law in the representative of the Crown in Victoria, and can be exercised by the representative of the Crown upon the advice of the responsible Ministers. This part of the argument raises for the first time in this Court constitutional questions of supreme importance. After careful examination of the vitally important questions brought under notice in the second division of this case, his Honor expressed the opinion that the Constitution Act, as amended and limited by the Constitution statute, is the only source and origin of the constitutional rights of self-government in Victoria, that the bodies created by the Constitution Act are designed to aid each other in self-government in internal affairs for the people of Victoria, that it has legal right, subject to the approval of Parliament consistent with the statute law and provision of treaties binding the Crown. The question whether her Majesty's Government in Victoria had the legal right to prevent plaintiff landing, he thought, should be answered in the affirmative. The right to exclude aliens and foreigners is a right that must be considered inherent in a constituted Government. Every independent State like Victoria can exercise this right, and is not forbidden by any rule of international law. He concurred with Mr. Justice Kerferd's judgment, which he had read, and adopted his reasons as part of his own judgment. He concluded as follows:—"My decision is in favour of the defendant upon the questions of law raised on the pleadings, which constitute, in my opinion, a good defence in this action on its merits, and I am consequently of opinion that judgment in the action ought to be entered for defendant, with costs to be taxed. I have the misfortune, my sense of which could not adequately be expressed in words, to differ in opinion as to part of the case from the majority of my brother Judges. The decision of the Full Court is in favour of the plaintiff. Judgment will accordingly be entered for plaintiff, with damages. If any be assessed, costs to be taxed as provided in the order."

Mr. Justice Kerferd, who also delivered judgment at some length, concurred.

Mr. Justice Williams, in the course of his judgment, dealt first with what might be called the act of State defence. He said the answer to this was simply that, that which was called and relied on in the present case as an act of State, is not an act of State at all. A wrongful act done to an alien, if ratified by the Sovereign power, would undoubtedly thereby become an act of State for which an alien could not seek redress in the municipal courts of the Sovereign power. But this colony was not a Sovereign power as far as we were concerned. The Imperial Government alone occupied that position; nor is the Sovereign power vested in the Governor of this colony, and to render the act complained of an act of State, either ratification by her Majesty's advisers would be required, or, if the Sovereign power were vested in the Governor, by ratification of the Governor. If the Governor of the colony has the Sovereign power vested in him, it is clear outside his commission that there is nothing else which so vests it. But there is no such delegation or anything approaching it contained in the commission. The Governor of this colony is clearly not Viceroy, as is commonly supposed, and the term "vice regal" is inappropriate to the position. No person or body of persons in the colony is the alter ego of the Sovereign. To no person or body of persons has there been delegation by the Sovereign of the whole Royal power. It remains to be considered, and by far the more important, have we in this colony the right or power to exclude aliens from our territory? Is that power vested in the Governor of the colony, as to be exercisable by his responsible advisers? I have limited the question purposely in this way, for it is not pretended either that any such power is vested in the Governor by his commission, or that however it may have been vested it has been exercised in any way than through his responsible advisers. Upon this second line of defence a lengthy and elaborate argument has been addressed to the Court, chiefly upon the points as to whether the prerogative or right to exclude aliens even existed in England; whether, if it even existed, it has not fallen into disuse. As to the effect of non-use, as to whether legislation as regards the Chinese in force in the colony does not give the members of that particular nationality the statutory right to enter a colony upon compliance with the statutory conditions, the prerogative has not fallen into disuse, or if it has, such disuse does not effect or prevent its exercise there, but making all these assumptions in favour of defendant and against plaintiff, none of them affect the main and substantial question in the case, and the only question with which his Honor concurred is whether under any law in force in the Victoria the Governor, or the Governor with the advice of his Ministers, has at have the power expressly or impliedly to exclude aliens from the territory. It is assumed that the prerogative did and does exist in England. It the right exists there, it must, by virtue of some law, in Victoria; and unless by the Constitution no other law could give it expressly or by implication. The conclusion he arrived at was that we have no legal means of preventing cargoes of alien convicts if sent to-morrow from landing on these shores. He felt himself forced, as a lawyer, to differ from his chief in his conclusions on the most important question as to what is the system of responsible government granted to Victoria, or, to put it more correctly, does the system of responsible government granted to us, be its measure full or scanty, include the power or right to prevent aliens from landing in our territories? The answer to this question must depend on the construction placed upon the Constitution. The judgment of the Chief Justice holds that the Act, as far as regards our internal affairs, and only as far as they are concerned, has granted to us a full and complete system or measure of responsible government. In this he holds included the right to prevent aliens from landing on our shores. In his opinion, the exercise of that right relates to the management of our internal affairs, and is a right which may be necessary to exercise for the preservation of our own territory. Whether we affirm that the power exists, or deny its existence, if it is to the consideration of what has passed to us under the Constitution Act that we are driven, I do not hesitate to say that the phraseology of the Act is so vague and obscure in parts as to create grave doubt as to its meaning where no doubt need have existed; that the study of it leaves the impression upon one's mind that those who framed it from a colonial point of view were fearful of expressing too plainly either what were the privileges and rights sought and thought to be obtained by it, or, on the other hand, from an Imperial point of view, of stating too bluntly what rights and privileges it was intended should not pass to the colony under it. After enumerating the powers, rights, and privileges conferred by the Constitution Act, he came to the conclusion that we did not possess the power under the Constitution Act, which formed the principal subject matter of the defence under consideration. Judgment, in his opinion, should be entered for plaintiff.

Justices Holroyd, A'Beckett, and Wrenfordsley concurred, the judgment of Mr. Justice A'Beckett being read in his absence.

Judgment was given for plaintiff, the damages to be assessed.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

COOLAH, MONDAY.

Shearing was commenced at Rockvegiel this morning under the station rules with a full board of workers. The union shearers and their agent have just struck their camp, and are starting towards Coolah.

COOTAMUNDRA, MONDAY.

Over an inch of rain fell on Friday night.

The rights for the local coursing meeting, to be held next Wednesday, have been sold to Mr. Foord for £200.

CROOKWELL, MONDAY.

The rain ceased on Saturday night, sufficient having fallen to benefit the crops and pasture materially. Stock generally are in low condition.

DUBBO, MONDAY.

Rain commenced to fall on Saturday morning early, and ceased in the afternoon, when a south-west wind caused it to hold off. The total fall was 80 points.

GUNDAGAI, MONDAY.

The weather is fine. The Murrumbidgee River at Gundagai is 10ft. above summer level.

GUNNEDAH, MONDAY.

Fifty-five points of rain fell on Saturday. The weather is now fine and cool. There was a sharp frost this morning.

All the shearers hereabouts are reported to have joined the union, but they will not make a stand this season.

Burburgate won Geddes and Co.'s prize for the most valuable 20 fleeces, shorn by Wolseley's machine, at the late pastoral show.

INVERELL, MONDAY.

Heavy rain has been falling since 7 o'clock this morning.

KIAMA, MONDAY.

Five points of rain fell here on Saturday last, and one point yesterday. There was also a nice shower this evening.

MILTON, MONDAY.

A fire occurred in this town at about 10.20 p.m. on Saturday in the general store of Mr. R. Finnigan. The fire apparently originated under the staircase. A large number of persons soon collected, and by their efforts the flames were put out before they had taken a firm hold upon the building, though the whole of the stock was destroyed. The stock was insured. The damage is estimated at about £1000.

MOLONG, MONDAY.

Rain commenced to fall early on Saturday morning, continuing with little intermission till 3 in the afternoon. Altogether 113 points were registered. The sky is clear now. The total rainfall from the 1st January up to date is 1007 points, and for the same period last year 3259 points.

NEWCASTLE, MONDAY.

The barque Heather Bell, of this port, arrived from New Caledonia this morning. The owners have ordered her on to Sydney in consequence of the strike.

The District Court was opened this morning before Judge Wilkinson.

The barque Andes is now on the patent slip, and leaves on Thursday, in ballast, for Portland.

The Oregon will not wait for coal.

A special meeting of the Newcastle Borough Council was held this afternoon to receive the town clerk's report on the water supply. The details of the supply were fully discussed. It was resolved to send a deputation to the Minister for Works asking that the rate be reduced from 1s. 6d. to 1s. per 1000 gallons. The question of measurement by meters was considered, and favourably entertained by the majority of the aldermen, although the expense of putting them down would amount to something like £15,000.

NUNDLE, MONDAY.

The long drought has broken at last. On Saturday nearly 24 hours' steady soaking rain fell. A great feeling of relief is experienced. To-day the weather is again fine.

TAMWORTH, MONDAY.

Splendid rain fell on Saturday evening, giving 81 points.

WARIALDA, MONDAY.

Steady rain fell for a few hours on Saturday night, registering 60 points. A heavy fall is urgently required. Sheep are dying in many places, but large stock are looking fairly well. Shearing at several sheds is progressing favourably under station rules, but men are scarce. The majority of the large sheds in the district have not yet started, but by the end of the month nearly all will be in operation.

WINDSOR, MONDAY.

Mr. William Owens, an old and respected inhabitant of Pitt Town, took a fit to-day, and died 10 minutes afterwards.

WISEMAN'S FERRY, MONDAY.

The stock crossings to-day from Gullondady for Riverstone were 1864 fat sheep, B. Richards owner.

RAILWAY FROM GOULBURN TO CROOKWELL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CROOKWELL, MONDAY.

An enthusiastic meeting was held at Laggan this afternoon, to protest against an alteration in the permanent survey of the railway from Goulburn to Crookwell. The meeting was attended by representatives from Taralga, Bolong, Woodhouselee, Crookwell, Tarlo, Fullerton, and Middle Arm. Mr. Wm. Henderson occupied the chair. Mr. W. N. Whiting, J.P., of Taralga, moved,—"That this meeting is of opinion that the permanent survey from Goulburn to Crookwell through the village reserve at Mandalister is the best, as serving the largest number of residents, and as calculated to yield the largest amount of revenue to the State, than any other route that could be selected, and that the Government be respectfully requested to adhere to it." Mr. John Howard, of Crookwell, seconded the resolution, and Messrs. W. H. Oram, Thomas Maloney, of Taralga; James Bensley, of Crookwell; Archibald Nixon, of Woodhouselee; and James Warrall, of Laggan, supported it. The motion was carried unanimously. A resolution to send the foregoing to the Premier, and another pledging the meeting to oppose any movement calculated to interfere with the existing affairs, were also carried unanimously. The meeting was demonstrative with regard to opposing interference. The speakers pointed out the superior claims of the permanent survey over any other route suggested. Letters from Messrs. Holborow and Ball, the members for the county, expressing their determination to advocate the permanent survey, and that only, were read, and also a letter from Mr. Thomas Marsden showing the advantages of the permanent survey.

DISCOVERY OF COAL NEAR PICTON.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

PICTON, MONDAY.

There is great excitement here about the recent important discovery of coal. Many Sydney people have been up to visit the mine, which is situated on the Little River, about eight miles from Picton, and five south-west from Picton Lakes station. There are four or five distinct seams, ranging from 6ft. to 20ft. thick. A very practicable route for a railway from Picton Lakes is available. The discoverers have secured several miles under mineral lease. They have had several offers for the property, and have accepted one from a strong Sydney syndicate for a half share. A great feature in the discovery is the magnificent ironbark and blue gum timber on the property. There is a never-failing supply of fine water running through the centre of the land.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY NEAR TAMWORTH.

A MAN SHOT BY HIS STEPSON.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

TAMWORTH, MONDAY.

A terrible tragedy was enacted at Moor Creek to-day. A publican named Keenahan was shot through the head by his stepson, Arthur Coulton, aged 19. Keenahan, it is alleged, had ruined his stepdaughter, Coulton's sister. Coulton demanded provision for the girl, which Keenahan refused. He then shot him through the head, forcing the eye out of the socket. A doctor and the police were sent for. Coulton surrendered himself. Keenahan died at 5 p.m. The reports current about the affair are too dreadful to publish unless authenticated.

A FACT.

It is admitted by every connoisseur throughout the world that Walker's Whisky, from Kilmarnock, is the finest spirit a man can take, in either hot or cold climates. Mason Bros., Limited, agents.—[ADVT.]

LORD CARRINGTON'S VISIT TO THE WEST.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

LOUTH, MONDAY.

His Excellency Lord Carrington passed Louth yesterday afternoon. On account of its being Sunday, any demonstration was, of course, out of the question. He stayed at Dunlop station last night, and visited Dunlop wool-shed this morning. His Excellency expressed great satisfaction at the manner in which Wolseley's sheep-shearing machines are worked on that station. His Excellency was asked to shear a sheep with one of the machines, which he did in a very creditable manner. He then visited the woolwashing shed, where everything seems to be perfection. The woolwashing shed is lit up by electricity, and kept going night and day. His Excellency, after bidding each man in the shed a hearty farewell, left at 10 o'clock for Buckambie Station, where he stays to-night. His Excellency has gained great popularity by his kind and cordial manner. He speaks highly of the cordial welcome he receives everywhere. The weather is all that can be desired for his Excellency's trip.

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

A meeting of the executive committee in whose hands are the arrangements for the reception of the Governor on his arrival at Broken Hill took place on Saturday night. Mr. J. J. Williams was in the chair. It was announced that the sale of 75 tickets for the banquet proposed to be given to Lord Carrington was already guaranteed. A public meeting will take place on Tuesday, for the purpose of electing a chairman at the banquet. It was decided that a party of gentlemen should meet his Excellency on the Mount Gipps-road on his approach to Broken Hill, and escort him to the town. The toasts decided to be drunk at the dinner are "The Queen," "Our Guest," "The Army and Navy," "The Parliament," "The Mining Industry at the Barrier," "The Progress Committee," and "The Town and Trade." The Caledonian Society have decided upon presenting an address to the Governor on his arrival.

THE ALBURY SHOW.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBURY, MONDAY.

The entries for the Albury Show closed with 1866, being more than 100 in excess of last year's total. The live stock sections are particularly well filled. The arrangements for the show are now all complete, and the exhibition is likely to be most successful. Considerable improvements in the way of tree-planting have been effected at the show ground, which is now considered to be the most attractive in the colony.

NEW COURTHOUSE AT DUBBO.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

DUBBO, MONDAY.

The new courthouse is now quite completed, and stands out a grand ornament to the town. The total cost of erecting the building was nearly £13,000. At a meeting of magistrates and solicitors it was decided to invite the Chief Justice to open the court in October next at the usual circuit court. His reply consenting has been received. At a further meeting to-day arrangements for his reception and the presentation of an address were made. It was also decided to entertain the Chief Justice at a private dinner, to be given by the bench, solicitors, and other officers of the court. A public banquet is also talked of.

WALGETT QUARTER SESSIONS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

WALGETT, MONDAY.

The Quarter Sessions were opened this morning by Judge Backhouse. Mr. Dawson was Crown Prosecutor. The criminal list was light, there being only three cases. Bridget Williams, for attempted suicide, was bound over. Thomas Sherwin, for passing valueless cheques, pleaded guilty to two charges, and was remanded for sentence. Tom Cain, charged with sticking-up the Gundabluie Hotel, near Mogil Mogil, was acquitted. The District Court opens to-morrow.

COOTAMUNDRA QUARTER SESSIONS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

COOTAMUNDRA, MONDAY.

At the Quarter Sessions to-day, before Judge Forbes, a case of alleged cattle stealing against two men named Batty and Herring, who were committed from Gundagai, occupied all day. Mr. Merewether was Crown prosecutor, and Mr. B. R. Wise defended the prisoners. The jury retired at 6.30 p.m., and, after a short consultation, they returned a verdict of not guilty. The prisoners were discharged.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBURY, MONDAY.

Stock Movements.—Seven merino rams and 14 merino ewes from Sunbury, Victoria, to Wagga, M. D. Lynott, owner; 17 merino rams, from Victoria to Wagga, J. Mack, owner; 28 trucks fat sheep, from Bourke to Melbourne, R. Gibson.

THARGOMINDAH (Q.), MONDAY.

No stock have passed Thargomindah for the past fortnight. All mobs are turning off from the main road at Morloy, and are going via the Gumholes. This is due to the fact that a wrong impression has got abroad to the effect that the Thargomindah and Hungerford route is impracticable. As a matter of fact, there is plenty of water along this road.

WILCANNIA, SATURDAY.

One thousand bullocks from Pulparoo crossed the river safely. Yantara reports 300 fat cows from Nocatunga passed en route for Adelaide, H. B. Hughes. A mob of Comongin cattle are approaching. Shearing commenced at Yantara last week. Mount Wood, Coonalpie Downs, and Salisbury Downs have finished; this clip having been a very light one. 3000 sheep, H. F. Whitty, from Quinyambie, are going to Tarranda, on the Murray. The weather is very cold and changeable.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

The following have passed through:—

ALBURY, MONDAY.

For Melbourne (by express): Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Birt and 3 children (Queensland), Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnson (Sydney), Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Clark and child (Harefield), Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brace, Edgar Brace, Geo. Mansfield (Albury), W. F. Middleton (Goombargana), Thomas Lee, J. L. Fox (Brisbane), Mrs. James Hoey (Balmain), W. De Little (Hamilton), W. K. Bishop (New Zealand), G. H. Manners (H.M.S. Nelson), R. Klingender, G. R. B. Steane (Melbourne), W. W. Birkmyre, J. Pritchard, D. Inglis, W. A. Harper, W. O'Halloran (Sydney), T. Forman (Junee).

For Melbourne (by ordinary): J. H. Wood, jun. (St. Kilda), A. B. Becker (South Yarra), E. Brice (Adelaide), E. A. Whyte, J. Powell (Melbourne).

For Sydney (by ordinary): J. A. Levy (Moore Park), Mrs. Morris (Deniliquin), Matthew Forley (Auburn), Walter Hope (Liverpool), John Sanders, Mrs. Tierney and 2 children (Sydney), Detective Cawsey, C. Bates, George Benson (Melbourne), Mr. and Mrs. Cutcliffe (Doodle, Cooma).

For Sydney (by express on Monday): Mr. and Mrs. Alsop, J. Wilson, jun., A. Doodeward, E. West, W. Stapleton, H. M'Donald, W. Warren Kerr, J. Williams, F. Wildiams, E. J. Barker, E. G. Bennet, R. M. Turner, Mrs. Heap, Miss Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, G. J. Waddon, Miss Guy, Henry Rooke, Mrs. Finlayson, Mr. and Mrs. M'Kinnon, A. Allen, C. Young, J. J. Miller, S. Stephen, E. Parker, J. H. Balfour, W. R. Wilson, John Howell, S. J. Wilson, Miss Maud Miller, F. Y. Wolseley, W. W. Hood (Melbourne), S. Hordern, Mrs. Vicars, J. H. Harris, J. Leila Booth, W. A. Harper, T. Walker, M.L.A., Robert Barbour, M.L.A., R. Burdett Smith, M.L.A. (Executive Commissioner), H. E. Greer, T. M. Slattery, M.L.A. (Sydney), Mr. and Mrs. Finlay (Wycheproof), Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Alexander (Yarrawal), J. T. Gibson (Burrumburtock), L. J. Anderson (Cooktown), Walter D. White (North Shore), J. Cohn, G. Stonehammer, John Reid and family (St. Kilda), Samuel M'Innes (Bathurst), Chas. Flemming, J. Laidlaw, F. W. Tietjens, F. Martin (Flemington), William Lowden (Echuca), Mrs. Warren and 2 children (Ballarat).

TENTERFIELD, MONDAY.

For Sydney: Major Lyster, S. Green (Brisbane), Otto Mussiter (Sydney), F. A. Bizant (Drake), Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln (Melbourne).

For Brisbane: R. Lyons, Mrs. Lyons, Moss Vernon (Brisbane).

LATE MINING.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, MONDAY.

The Croydon crushings for the past week were:—King's Own, 21 tons of surface stone yielded 13oz. gold; Lady Mary No. 1 North, yielded 121oz. The banks purchased during the week 966oz.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE ALHAMBRA.

A new programme was submitted to a numerous audience at the Alhambra last evening. The entertainment opened with the usual overture when a number of ballads and comic songs, interspersed with dancing, were given, each of the artists being heartily applauded. The second portion of the evening's entertainment commenced with a laughable sketch entitled "Flirtation," given by Messrs. Delowery, Craydon, and Holland. A nautical hornpipe was well executed by the Cottier Brothers, and Miss Lottie Lavyne fairly took the audience by storm with her two songs, entitled "The Impudent Girl" and "Oh! You Girls." The most interesting part of the whole entertainment was the performance of two Japanese lads. The first to appear was Katsumo, who, while walking a wire stretched across the stage, most deftly passed himself through a small hoop without the aid of a balancing-pole. He was followed by Mukake, a well-trained and muscular contortionist. Both lads were deservedly applauded. Mr. Hastings gave a couple of comic songs in good style, and the night's entertainment was concluded by the burlesque "Muldoon's Christening," in which the majority of the members of the company took part, thus winding up an evening's amusement that was undoubtedly thoroughly appreciated by a full house.

THE RINKS.

The Summer Hill Bicycle Club will hold a skate evening, under the patronage of his Excellency the Governor, on Monday, the 17th instant, at the Elite Rink, Elizabeth-street, in honour of the visit of the intercolonial cyclists competing at the union sports. There is on the programme a Mile Skating Handicap, open to all amateur cyclists. Entries close on Wednesday, 12th instant, at the rink; or with Messrs. Bennett and Woods, 136, Clarence-street. There will also be an exhibition of trick bicycle riding by Mr. C. W. Bennett.

A concert and dramatic entertainment, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the widow and orphan of the late Mr. F. Fox, was given last night at the New Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street. There was a moderate attendance of the public, the I. O. O. F. being fairly well represented. The first part of the programme consisted of a varied assortment of songs and recitations. Miss Perryman, in her song "Scenes that are brightest," was applauded, and the Donnellan Brothers, in their acrobatic song and dance, were recalled. The entertainment concluded with a drama by the Bruce-Lister Amateur Dramatic Company, entitled "Bitter Cold."

CASUALTIES.

About half-past 7 o'clock yesterday morning a man named John Woodrow, 51 years of age, a clerk in the employ of Messrs. Russell Jones Brothers, solicitors, in Bent-street, died somewhat suddenly at his residence, No. 236, Crown-street, Surry Hills. From a statement made to the police by the wife of the deceased it appears that her late husband had recently been addicted to intemperance, and for a few days previous to his death had been drinking very freely. Early on Sunday forenoon he became unwell, but afterwards appeared to be in good health, and partook of a hearty dinner. After retiring to bed at half-past 9 o'clock that evening, he again became ill, and during the night had several fits of retching. His condition continued to grow worse, and early the following morning he complained of pains in his head and back. Dr. Shewen was ultimately sent for, but on that gentleman's arrival at the house the man had expired. A report of the occurrence has been sent to the coroner.

A half-past 8 o'clock yesterday morning, a young man named Benjamin Bridges, 19 years of age, in the employ of Mr. Abel, butcher, of Canterbury-road, Petersham, died from the effects of injuries accidentally received. It appears that the deceased was delivering meat on horseback, and that whilst he was riding along the road the animal shied at some object, throwing the deceased violently to the ground, and fracturing his skull. Dr. Thong was sent for, but on his arrival found the man dead. The body was conveyed to the South Sydney Morgue, where it now lies awaiting an inquest.

WATER CONSERVATION AND IRRIGATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In a previous letter we alluded to the Prospect reservoir, and the works generally connected with Sydney water supply. Certainly what I have seen of these works gives very favourable impression; they seem as near perfection as possible in every regard. The site and workmanship are equally good; yet there are many places in the colony where water could be stored with even greater facility, and it is matter for regret that the Government did not push on with examinations and surveys when the work of the Royal Commissioners was discontinued. This was an almost criminal neglect. This Sydney supply represents the health and wellbeing of a large number of people, some half a million, I suppose, being largely dependent on the Nepean and other sources of the metropolitan districts, including Camden, Penrith, Hawkesbury, and the whole of those minor watersheds. And there is no doubt that water could be stored in these districts alone sufficient to flood say half a million acres in addition to supplying for household and industrial purposes. Does anyone know what this would mean? It would mean a complete independence of all the world (except, perhaps, for breadstuffs, as the coast districts will not grow wheat). It would mean an expansion of industries, and their establishment beyond conception; and an increase of population of, perhaps, ten to one.

Extend this reasoning to the scores or hundreds of places in the colony which are equally, if not better, fitted for storage, and for application of water to the land artificially, and what do we get? Something stupendous. Results such as our protectionist friends have no idea of. With water applied where practicable, New South Wales could very soon end all, or nearly all, importations, even from the much-vaunted colony to the south of us. Victoria supply New South Wales! Why we have, I suppose, a hundred acres of good land to their one, or say twenty, and our climate is even better than theirs. It is water and its management that we want to make us great and independent. At the present time we import millions' worth of produce from, as it were, all the ends of the earth, which we could produce as well and as cheaply as can be done in any or all places; and we have the wide ocean between us and competition. "There is a screw loose somewhere," if we cannot hold our own and compete successfully in the world's markets.

Well, the Government have promised to bring in a bill which will enable us to do this, if anything will. It will also have a very great decentralising tendency, because by the storage and use of water the country will support the towns, industries will establish themselves on firm bases, there will be rest from anxiety, and true settlement. People will live, and grow, and thrive, be they even "paupers from the old country," as some have most indecently expressed themselves lately in regard to the endeavour made to benefit the poor creatures who are starving for want of bread and of room to work. What, I ask, would those people be? How would they fare but for the old country? Shame on such, and such expressions.

Reverting to the proposal in the Local Government Bill to place the control of all waters in the local councils: That would be clearly wrong, for, with all due regard to gentlemen who may have the confidence of their fellow-ratepayers, where the water storages are of general or national character, and when they have been effected by funds supplied by the State, they must certainly not be vested in the corporations; instead of which, the proposed bill of the commissioners recommends a central board of Advice, control, and administration. It leaves the number blank; but that should not be less than three, and these should be the best men procurable. The Minister at the head of the department must be ex-officio member of such board, for he will be its political exponent in Parliament. And there will be of course a staff of duly qualified engineers, &c. There will also be district offices in connection with such system as at home, for there will be boards, trusts, corporations, syndicates, and individual action, with whom the central board will work to great advantage. The nature and plan of proposed works will be submitted to the central board, and advice and assistance given on approval, for which purpose the Crown will borrow at say 3 or 3½ per cent., and on approved security advance money at say 5 per cent., so that there will be a sinking fund provided whereby the capital sum may be repaid.

Mr. Abigail very justly objected on a recent occasion to dealing with this great question in a piecemeal way, thus we may fairly hope that his bill will be comprehensive. We have had proposals for works at Albury, Tocumwal, at Lake Urana, Lake Cudgellico, and suggestions for a few others; but a general comprehensive measure is required which will apply to the whole colony. The storage in some cases will be easily and cheaply done, for instance, in some of our grand lakes, and places on the Barwon, Murray, Lachlan, Darling, &c., and maybe a few of our coastal rivers; but in other instances, and in order to secure permanent supplies, the works will be on a large scale, and will cost a good deal of money. But, then, if the amount is large it will be eminently recuperative, and will be expended for the good of all—the working man especially. The moment large works are begun so soon will the want of employment cease, and permanent settlement on the land begin. Men will commence with the work; they will see the good land in millions of acres, all ready for the plough or to be cultivated, costing (on the plains) nothing to clear. Thus, if it should cost £2 or £3 per acre to put water on a large territory, what then? Does it not cost more to prepare land for cultivation where it is densely wooded? What, then, has New South Wales to fear, with her mineral wealth of gold, silver, copper, tin, coal, especially coal; with all the good timber (which, by the way, is capable of being improved by planting and culture); with the soil and climate, capable of producing in abundance almost everything that is good? Surely we must be a silly people to ask for protection from the outside world or from our neighbours under such circumstances. It is true our neighbours to the south have got the start of us in this matter of watering the lands, but we have the advantage of all their experience and teaching and that of the world, from almost all recorded time. We know that what we advocate is good, especially good for us; in fact we have been trying to get on without it for too long a time. I am, &c., FRED. STAVELEY.

Christmas Island—a great rock in the Indian Ocean—which (says the Spectator, July 21) we have annexed during the last ten days, cannot very well be reckoned as a new jewel set in the Crown of England, for its strategic uses never so important. The island consists largely of coral, covering a volcanic core; but long exposure to winds and waves has so honeycombed it all over, that locomotion is almost impossible.

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

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THE GERRINGONG BUTTER FACTORY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KIAMA, MONDAY.

Operations at the new Gerringong Butter Factory commenced this morning. There was nothing in the way of a public demonstration, but nearly all the directors were present, and also a number of Aldermen of the Gerringong council, and several dairy farmers residing in the locality. Mr. Josephson, of the firm of Waugh and Josephson, was in attendance, and started the machinery, which worked without the slightest hitch, and 446 gallons of milk, sent in by 15 suppliers, were put through the separators in a short time. [illegible]

ANNUAL STOCK SALES IN MELBOURNE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

The annual stock sales which take place after the national show were commenced to-day. [illegible]

THE WEATHER.

The weather yesterday was similar to that experienced almost every day throughout the winter, fine and clear. The rain of Saturday appears to have entirely gone. [illegible]

TRADES MOVEMENTS.

NEW SOUTH WALES TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the board of management of the New South Wales Typographical Association was held on Saturday evening. Mr. W. Dunshea (president) occupied the chair. It was decided to support the Brisbane compositors in their demand for £3 per week and an increase of 1d. per 1000 for piecework. [illegible]

OUR TRAMS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

[illegible]

September 1. VIATOR MELBURNIENSIS.

INSTALLATION OF LORD CARRINGTON.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

[illegible]

September 1. I am, &c., PAST MASTER.

THE MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

[illegible]

I am, &c., J. W. B.

Place.	Year.	Visitors.	[illegible]
London	1851	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York	1853	[illegible]	[illegible]
Paris	1855	[illegible]	[illegible]
London	1862	[illegible]	[illegible]
Paris	1867	[illegible]	[illegible]
Vienna	1873	[illegible]	[illegible]
Philadelphia	1876	[illegible]	[illegible]
Paris	1878	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sydney	1879	[illegible]	[illegible]
Melbourne	1880	[illegible]	[illegible]
London, Indian, and Colonial	1886	[illegible]	[illegible]

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AUSTRALASIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE.

A general meeting of the members of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science was held in the Royal Society's House, Elizabeth-street, yesterday. The president (Mr. H. C. Russell) occupied the chair. There was a numerous attendance.

THE NEXT PRESIDENT.

Professor LIVERSIDGE announced that a telegram had been received from Baron Von Mueller accepting the position of president of the association for 1889. His telegram was as follows:—"Am profoundly touched with generous sentiment and evinced confidence in association nominating me to preside at next annual meeting. I shall consider it the highest scientific honour ever conferred upon me, though aware of my inadequate ability for so grand a task."

A MESSAGE TO THE PARENT SOCIETY.

Professor LIVERSIDGE also announced that the British Association would meet on Wednesday next, and that it had been decided to send the following cablegram:—"Australia greets parent association. Successful meeting, 820, 110 papers."

ANTARCTIC EXPLORATION.

Mr. J. BARNARD called attention to a motion passed at the last meeting of the Geographical Section of the Association recommending the appointment of a committee to consider the question of Antarctic Exploration. It had been thought that they should seek the assistance of the Imperial Government, and make the question one of Imperial policy in conjunction with Australasia. It was also thought that it would be best for the movement to emanate from Australasia, with the co-operation of England, but as the ships and officers that would take part in the expedition would very likely come from England, the matter had better be viewed as an Imperial question. He moved that a committee be appointed to carry out the objects in view.

The motion was seconded and carried.

On the motion of the Hon. J. FORREST the following were appointed a committee, with power to add to their number: Professor Stephens, Mr. Ellery, Mr. G. S. Griffith, Professor Baldwin Spencer, Mr. J. Barnard, and Hon. J. Forrest.

MISCELLANEOUS COMMITTEES.

The following committees were appointed, with power to add to their number:—

On the motion of Mr. ELLERY,—"That the following committee be appointed to inquire into the present state of meteorology in the Australasian colonies: Professor Threlfall, Mr. H. C. Russell, Mr. Ellery, and Mr. Sutherland."

On the motion of Dr. ASHWELL,—"That the following be appointed a committee to consider the establishment and endowment of a biological station for Australasia: Professor Tate, Professor B. Spencer. Mr. J. J. Fletcher, Mr. Dendy, Mr. Lucas, Mr. MacGillivray, and Dr. Haswell."

On the motion of Professor B. SPENCER,—"That the following be appointed a committee to consider and investigate the question of the protection of native birds and mammals: Professor Tate, Hon. Dr. Campbell, Mr. Tryon, Professor Stephens, Professor B. Spencer, Dr. Ramsey, Dr. Haswell, Mr. Etheridge, and Mr. Johnson."

On the motion of Professor SPENCER,—"That the following committee be appointed to draw up a list of works and papers bearing on biological science: Professor Parker, Professor Tate, Professor Spencer, Mr. J. J. Fletcher, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Dendy, Mr. Topp, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Whitelegg, Mr. Tryon, Dr. Wilson, and Dr. Haswell."

On the motion of Dr. WILSON,—"That the following committee be appointed to consider certain points of construction and hygienic requirements of the places of amusement in Sydney:—Dr. Ashburton Thompson, Professor Warren, Mr. Sulman, Mr. Roth, and Dr. Wilson."

On the motion of Professor LIVERSIDGE,—"That the following committee be appointed to prepare a census of Australasian minerals—Sir James Hector, Mr. Skey, Professor Jack, Mr. C. S. Wilkinson, Professor Liversidge, and Professor Masson."

On the motion of Professor LIVERSIDGE,—"That the following committee be appointed to investigate and report on the glacial evidence in Australasia—Sir James Hector, Mr. Wilkinson, Professor Tate, Professor Jack, Mr. Brown, Dr. Cox, Mr. Rands, and Mr. Stirling."

On the motion of Professor LIVERSIDGE,—"That the following committee be appointed to inquire into and report on town sanitation:—Sir James Hector, Hon. Dr. Campbell, Mr. Thomas, Professor Threlfall, Dr. Bancroft, Professor Liversidge, Professor Warren, and Mr. Hamlet."

On the motion of Professor LIVERSIDGE,—"That the following committee be appointed to investigate and report upon the seismological phenomena in Australasia:—Sir James Hector, Mr. H. C. Russell, Mr. Ellery, Professor Threlfall, Mr. Topp, and Mr. Biggs."

On the motion of Professor LIVERSIDGE,—"That the following be appointed a committee to consider and report upon the bibliography of the Australasian and Polynesian races, with special references to philology—Dr. Agnew, Mr. Fraser, Rev. H. P. R. Copeland, Sir James Hector, Rev. W. Gill, Mr. Mann, and Mr. Howitt."

The report of the formation of the record committee from the Geological Section was confirmed. The following are the members:—Professor Tate, Professor Jack, Mr. Stirling, Professor Hutton, Mr. Etheridge, and Mr. Johnson, with power to add to their number."

On the motion of Mr. ELLERY,—"That no alteration should be made in the rules of the association unless notice be given at one general meeting, and the alteration carried at the next following general meeting."

On a question raised by Mr. Wylie, the PRESIDENT ruled that only one general meeting of the association could be held in a year.

On the motion of Professor BLACK,—"That the following committee be appointed to consider and report on the progress in Australia of chemical science, with special reference to the gold and silver saving appliances:—Professor Masson, Professor Liversidge, Professor Rennie, Mr. Cox, Mr. Leibius, Professor Black, Professor Kernot, and Mr. Brown."

On the motion of Mr. ELLERY, "That a vote of thanks be tendered to the Senate of the Sydney University for having granted the use of the University for the purposes of the meetings of the association."

PUBLICATION OF PROCEEDINGS.

The PRESIDENT said that the next question the association had to consider was the publication of the proceedings of the association. He supposed that there was no division of opinion as to the desirability of publishing a volume containing the report of the work done at the meeting. Such a thing was necessary for future reference. What they had to consider was the question of finance, as there were those who were ready to take up the work of editing and to see that it was properly done. Several suggestions had been made, one of which was that the members of the association should be asked to contribute toward the cost of the volume. As far as they could see, there would be a sum of £200 available after the expenses of the meeting had been paid. The expenses had been very heavy in consequence of the commencement of the work. All that had been expended was necessary. Nothing had been spent in entertaining the members of the association. Not a shilling had been spent upon such a matter as refreshments. Those had been provided by someone with the object of making as much as he could out of the association. (Laughter.) As far as they could estimate the cost of publishing the volume would be between £400 and £500. They had £200, but where was the balance to come from? His own opinion leaned to the plan of asking those most interested to contribute. With regard to asking the Government to help them, he believed that although the Government did not see their way to help them with a grant of money at the commencement of the proceedings, still if the matter was now put before them, and it was shown that the money was absolutely necessary for the publication of the volume, he thought the grant would be made. He would suggest that an application be made to the Government for a sum of money to help the association to publish the work accomplished by the association. The work that had been done for the advancement of science was of the utmost importance to the colonies, and if properly represented he felt sure the Government would assist them as they desired. (Applause.)

Considerable discussion followed.

Professor B. SPENCER moved that a circular be sent to the members of the association, requesting them to contribute 10s. towards the cost of publishing the proceedings of the association.

The motion was seconded by Professor BRAGG.

Mr. ELLERY moved as an amendment,—"That the whole of the work of the association be placed in the hands of the Publishing Committee with a view to adopting the same course as that pursued by the British Association, and with a view to ascertaining what the cost of printing will be; and that, if necessary, the committee make a formal request to the Government for a grant to enable them to publish the proceedings."

Mr. BARNARD seconded the amendment.

The amendment was carried, and the meeting terminated.

THE CHEMICAL SECTION.

The final meeting of the chemical section took place at the University yesterday. Professor Black, of New Zealand, presided, and amongst those who were present were Dr. Leibius, Dr. Helms, Dr. Storer, Professor Liversidge, Mr. Pond, Mr. Jack, and the secretary (Mr. Hamlet). The papers read comprised the following:—"On the Occurrence of Silver in the Lodes of the Cape Colville Peninsula" (Thames, N. Z.), by Mr. Pond, Government Analyst of Auckland, N. Z. "On the Dissolved Matter contained in Rain-water collected at Lincoln, New Zealand," by Mr. George Gray, F.C.S. "On the Origin of Vein-gold and the Growth of Nuggets," by Professor Black. "A Contribution to the solution of the problem: How Gold came into the Reefs?" by Mr. J. R. Don, M.A. Papers by Professor Liversidge—"(1), Notes on the proposed Chemical Laboratory, University of Sydney; (2), Notes on some New South Wales Minerals; (3), Notes on Moss Gold." "Gold—its Formation in our Reefs—with Notes of some of its newly discovered Reactions," by Mr. W. Skey. Studies from the Chemical Laboratory, University of Sydney:—"Notes on the Composition of New South Wales Fahlers and Embolite," by Dr. G. S. Mackenzie. "Bibliography of the Chemistry of Indigenous Australian Vegetable Products," by Mr. J. H. Maiden, F.L.S., F.R.G.S.

EXCURSIONS.

Nineteen excursions were arranged in connection with the Association, but of these eight lapsed. The following is a list of the places visited, and the number of members who attended:—Prospect Dam and Reservoir, 19; trip round the harbour, 7; fortifications at Middle Head, 7; dredging and fishing in the harbour, 8; new gasworks at Mortlake, 13; sewerage farm at Cook's River, 16; Jenolan Caves, 3; the Hawkesbury, 19; Warragamba and Nepean River, Newport, 7; Blue Mountains, 16. The whole of the excursions were arranged by the Tourists Bureau, the Hawkesbury excursion being conducted by Mr. Woolcott.

SCHEME FOR THE SEWERAGE OF BURWOOD.

Some few weeks ago Mr. Charles Cowdery, sanitary engineer, intimated to the Burwood Municipal Council that he had in course of preparation a scheme for the sewerage of that suburb. The scheme, together with the plans, sections, &c., were duly submitted to the council, when, by request of the Minister for Public Works, they were transmitted for the perusal of the Government. The following summary of the scheme will be of interest not only to the residents of Burwood, but the public generally. At the outset Mr. Cowdery explains that his proposal is to take the whole of the sewerage off by gravitation, following as nearly as possible the natural fall of the land to the Parramatta-road. Burwood being of a suitable geographical situation, the system is divided into three sections. By this division the plan usually adopted, viz., brick sewers, are dispensed with, and in place glazed pipes are to be utilised. The divisions or sections are termed easterly, southerly, and westerly respectively. From the Parramatta-road it is proposed to continue the western and south-western sewers by separate lines of pipes through the police paddocks into the Government reserve, to a given point, where a large screening tank would be constructed; thence the matter would be taken to the sewage farm. The easterly sewer would be conducted to the farm in a similar manner. Mr. Cowdery proposes to reclaim some 40 acres of land from Hen and Chicken Bay, to be utilised as a sewage farm, the sewage to be treated on the intermittent downward filtration principle. This is carried out as follows: The whole filtering area should be drained 6ft. under the surface, the surface being properly prepared; the sewerage would be admitted by channels, the ground being under crop; all liquid not absorbed by the crops or ground would filter through at least 6ft. of earth to the underground pipes. It would then be conducted by the pipes to the effluent chamber, being quite bright and clear, no nuisance whatever being visible. The surface would be arranged, also the chambers in the outfall pipes, that the sewage could be conducted at will. Allowance is made by the engineer for a population of 36,371, or at the rate of 33·065 per acre (the present population is only some 6000). Therefore, only a portion of the farm would be necessary at present. An interesting matter is here touched upon. Mr. Cowdery, in proposing the reclamation of a portion of the Hen and Chicken Bay, adds, "I may say that the reclaiming of this portion of the bay will be a great boon to the inhabitants, for in its present state of mud and filth it is an abominable nuisance, and as I propose putting a bank or road across the bay 20ft. wide, it will be found of great convenience by the residents of the surrounding districts, it will also immensely improve the Government reserve, which is now worthless, but will then become of high value, as the tide will not be able to reach it." In order that the surface of the farm may be kept low, allowance is to be made for the area inside the bank being excavated to low water mark, with self-acting tide flaps and pipes through the bank. Into this the effluent water will run, and not direct into the bay. The area will be of sufficient size to allow the effluent to be constantly discharging at any state of the tide, and will empty itself into the bay as the tide lowers. It is pointed out that the materials necessary for the filling in of reclaimed land could be obtained from the Government parks and the reserve—for instance, the surplus from the lower trenches. Mr. Cowdery points to the fact that Mr. G. H. Stayton's scheme provides only a single brick sewer, running through the borough in an easterly direction with a gradient of one in 1500. The proportionate cost for Burwood would be £62,574, independently of reticulation pipes, "some 22 miles of which would have to to be laid." The cost of reticulation under Mr. Cowdery's scheme is set down at £28,995. That gentleman claims that to reticulate the borough under Mr. Stayton's scheme would cost a much larger sum, for, he says, "all that portion lying north of the railway line would have to be carried against the natural fall of the land, and, therefore, taken to a great depth. In any case the reticulation will have to be done, and must be added to the £62,574." The cost of Mr. Cowdery's outfall works, from the Parramatta-road to, and including the sewage farm, should be taken against Mr. Stayton's £62,574. Under the former's scheme the work actually required to be done at present is estimated to cost £14,160, but as the population increases that amount will have to be increased to £34,455; this deducted from Mr. Stayton's scheme will leave a balance in favour of the scheme of £29,119, or on the present expenditure of £43,414. The total cost of the proposed scheme, including reticulation, will be £62,450, or as near as possible the same as Mr. Stayton's scheme for the main sewer, only the council will have some 40 acres of land to the good. The whole borough will be drained by gravitation, no pumping power will be required. One great advantage is claimed,—viz., that the length of sewers will be short, and the sewage carried through can be treated on the farm before decomposition sets in. It is further explained that the crops upon the farm are never touched by the sewage, it being distributed in furrows of various depths, so regulated as to feed the soil with the liquid and keep back the solid matter in the furrows or carriers, which solid matter, after the sewage has been turned off that section, quickly dries. It is then dug into the land, and forms an excellent manure, the crops taking up what moisture is retained through the roots only. Arrangements for flushing, ventilation by means of manholes and lampholes, are provided for most minutely. On the matter of velocity, Mr. Cowdery explains that to avoid deposit in sewers, it is necessary to get a velocity of 3ft. per second, or 180ft. per minute. In no instance does his scheme allow less than that amount, the flattest gradient being 1 in 450 for a 24in. pipe; this gives a velocity of 200ft. per minute. In conclusion, it is estimated that the cost per head of the probable population will be £1 14s. 4d., as against £2 10s. 4d. of Mr. Stayton's scheme, worked upon the basis proposed by him.

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

ROCKDALE.

The fortnightly meeting of the Rockdale Council was held at the council-chambers on Thursday, August 30. There were present—the Mayor (W. G. Judd), Aldermen Godfrey, Price, Green, Cooke, Smyth, and the Council clerk (Thomas Leeder). Inward correspondence: From the accountant of the Roads and Bridges Department, reminding the council that he was holding a cheque for £100. The Council clerk stated that he had already acknowledged this letter informing the accountant of the contents of this council's letter of the 20th ultimo to the Engineer for Roads and Bridges. From the secretary of the Sydney Investment and Land Company, accepting the council's offer of £3 10s. per foot for Lots 16, 17, and 18 of Section A, Rockdale Township No. 2, and enclosing a form of the contract for approval; a letter to be sent to the company stating that by the council's previous letter they only proposed to purchase two of the lots (those nearest the lane). From Mr. E. A. Scott, architect, stating that he proposed to hand over the town hall building about the end of next month, and asking for directions as to fixtures required for the various rooms and offices. The Mayor, with Aldermen Cooke and Green, was appointed a sub-committee to assist the architect in procuring the fixtures. From the council clerk, Kogarah, relative to the council's letter regarding the water tables, Rocky Point-road, stating that the road is not under that council's jurisdiction. A letter was directed to be sent to the Engineer for Roads and Bridges on the subject. From the chief clerk of the Harbours and Rivers Department, stating that a few punt loads of mud from Cooks River would be landed in Marsh-street, but that the silt must be run over and spread at the council's expense. Received. From the manager of the Mercantile Building Company, enclosing a written consent from six owners of allotments, Bestic-street, and written objection from M. P. Duril as to alteration of proposed levels in Bestic-street as shown on plan and specification. Received; and Mr. Bryant be informed that the consents referred to had not been received by the council. From Mr. H. W. Hardwick (valuator) stating that the Hurstville assessment includes some of the lots in Lynton heights subdivision, within the boundary of this municipality, also stating that in one case the rate had been paid. The Mayor stated that he knew this to be a fact, and in the report of the last Hurstville meeting he noticed that Alderman M'Rae had stated that no rates had been collected in Hurstville belonging to Rockdale. A letter was directed to be sent calling the Hurstville Council's attention to the fact, and suggesting that the assessment referred to be expunged from their records. Reports were all submitted and adopted. Alderman Green's motion, "That the inspector of nuisances be empowered to impound all horses, cattle, and goats straying on all aligned streets in this municipality" was carried.

MUNICIPAL NOTES.

At the last ordinary meeting of the Kogarah Council, a letter was read from the Centennial Celebration Committee enclosing a bronze medal. The Mayor (Alderman M'Rae) moved,—"That the Kogarah Council refuses to accept a spurious medal purporting to commemorate the celebration of the first hundred years' growth of Australian settlement in Sydney, whereas that celebration—the birthday of every man, woman, and child in sunny New South Wales—has been allowed to be celebrated in Victoria."

The Hurstville Council are inviting offers of a site between the Hurstville English Church and the Hurstville Hotel, with the view of erecting a Town Hall thereon.

At a special meeting of the Hurstville Council, held on the 29th August, it was decided that specifications should be prepared for kerbing, guttering, and asphalting. This is a step to improve a very wide scattered district.

Consul Hughes (says an English contemporary) sends home from Shanghai some interesting notes on newspaper enterprise in China. In addition to religious and illustrated periodicals, there are two daily newspapers—the *Shên Pao* and the *Hu Pao*—published in Chinese at Shanghai. The *Shên Pao* has a daily circulation averaging 12,000 to 13,000 copies. During the Franco-Chinese war, its articles being written by patriotic Chinese to suit the popular taste, the circulation increased to 18,000 copies daily. Cheap as the paper is (less than a halfpenny), it is often sold after perusal, sometimes changing hands more than once during the day, and it is then bought by Chinese Post Office employees, who send it to places in the interior where steamers cannot reach. The circulation of the *Hu Pao* also is stated to be considerable, especially in this province. Both these newspapers, although owned by foreigners, are, we are assured, bona-fide organs of educated Chinese public opinion. Their influence, Mr. Hughes tells us, is on the whole exerted in favour of progress and civilisation.

WAUGH'S Baking Powder obtained the only first-class award for highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The following transactions were recorded yesterday by the Sydney Stock Exchange:—Morning: Burwood Coal, 27s.; Great Northern, 10s.; Stockton, 50s., 49s 6d.; Wickham and Bullock Island, 22s.; Broken Hill Proprietary, £235; South, paid up, 59s.; Eveleen, 4s. 6d.; Pye's Creek, 4s. 6d.; Sunny Corner, 58s. 6d., 58s.; Webb's, 5s.; White Leads, 5s. 9d.; Ophir Gold, £7 7s. 6d. Afternoon: Burwood Coal, 27s.; Stockton, 49s. 6d.; West Wallsend, 23s.; Wickham and Bullock Island, 21s.; Nymagee Copper, 18s. 3d.; Broken Hill, No. 14 Block, 54s., 53s. 6d.; Junction, 25s. 6d.; New North, 23s.; South, 56s., 55s. 6d., 55s.; Cosgrove, 4s. 6d.; Hero Freehold, paid up, 6s.; New Lewis Pond, contributing, 11s.; Mount Costigan, contributing, 8s.; Terrible Dick, 4s. 3d.; Ophir Gold, £7 10s., £7 5s.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Bulli	—	—	Ditto, new issue, 16s paid	7/9	8/
Burwood	26/6	27/6	One Tree Cordillera, p. up	1/1	2/
Great Northern	10	—	Rising Sun	4/3	4/6
Hetton	7½	9	Sunny Corner	57/	58/
Katoomba	12/6	13/	Terrible Dick, 19s 9d paid	4/3	4/4
Ditto, pref., 2s p.	2/3	—	N. Lewis Ponds	—	15/
Newcastle	—	17	Ditto, contrib.	—	11/6
Stockton	48/6	49/6	Tom's Lewis Ponds, paid up	5/	6/6
Vale of Clwydd	—	21/	Contrib.	—	2/6
Wallsend	43	45	Back Creek	4/9	5/6
Waratah	13	—	Hero, freehold	5/	6/
West Wallsend	23/	24	Ditto, contrib.	2/9	3/9
Ditto, 10s paid	—	—	White Leads	—	7/
Wickham and Bullock Island	—	21/6	Webb's	5/	—
Ditto, pref., 5 p.	7/	—	Ditto, 12s 6d pd.	1/9	—
G. Cobar Copper	6/6	—	Victoria Cross	5/9	6/6
New Mt. Hope	—	9/	White Rock	12	—
Nymagee	18/3	18/9	Band and Albion	75/	—
Broken Hill Pro.	235	237	Maritoto, paid up	—	4/
Wesley Tin	—	9d	Ditto, contrib.	—	—
Block Co.	6/	7/	Mount Morgan	15¾	—
Ditto, contributing	5/	6/	Conrans	18/	18/6
Block 14	50/	54/	Star of the East	—	90/
Ditto 10 Block	—	25/	Eureka	—	35/
B. H. Junction	25	26/	Victory	10/	—
New B. H. North	23/	—	Taranganba	—	8/
B. H. South	54/9	55/	Ophir	7¼	7½
South Extended	7/3	7/9	Bulga	—	1/9
Central B. Hill	14/3	15	Sydney Rockwell	1/6	—
Ditto, 15s paid	9/6	12/	Mt. Coman, 6s 6d paid	—	16/
Central Block	—	1/	Ditto, paid up	—	26/
Cosgrove	4/	4/9	Vanderbilt	—	7/
Brit. B. H., p. up	—	40/			
Eveleen	4/	4/9			
Mount Costigan	11/	11/3			

At the Australasian Mining Exchange the following sales were recorded:—Morning—Coal: Burwood, 27s. 9d., 27s. 9d.; Stockton, 51s. Gold: Ophir, £7, £7 1s., £7 5s., £7 7s. 6d., £7 10s., £7 10s., £7 11s., £7 12s., £7 11s., £7 10s.; Koh-i-noor, 8s. 6d., 8s. 6d., 8s. Silver: Sunny Corner, 58s. 3d., 58s., 58s., 58s. 3d., 58s., 58s. 6d.; Eveleen, 4s. 9d.; Broken Hill Central, contributing, 11s.; Terrible Dick, 4s. 5d. Afternoon—Gold: Ophir, £7 7s. 6d., £7 6s., £7 5s. 6d., £7 5s., £7 5s., £7 4s. Silver: Sunny Corner 58s. 3d.; Eveleen, 4s. 9d.; Souths, 56s., 56s., 56s., 56s.; Mount Costigan, contributing, 8s. Closing quotations were:—Coal: Burwood, seller 27s., buyer 25s. 6d.; Stockton, seller 49s., buyer 47s. 6d.; Vale of Clwydd, seller 22s., buyer 20s.; Wickham and Bullock Island, seller 22s. 3d., buyer 20s.; Katoomba, seller 13s. 3d., buyer 12s. 6d.; W. Wallsend, seller 24s. 6d., buyer 22s. 3d.; North Illawarra, seller 12s. Copper: Nymagee, seller 20s., buyer 18s. Gold: Golden Gully, contributing, seller 11s.; Ophir, seller £7 5s., buyer £7 3s.; Delanies Dyke, seller 9s. 6d., buyer 8s.; Koh-i-noor, seller 9s., buyer 7s. 6d. Silver: Sunny Corner, seller 58s. 6d., buyer 58s.; Eveleen, seller 5s., buyer 4s. 6d.; Broken Hill Block 14, seller 54s. 9d., buyer 54s.; Broken Hill British, seller 41s.; Broken Hill Centrals, seller 15s. 6d., buyer 14s. 6d.; Broken Hill Centrals, contributing, seller 12s.; Broken Hill Central Blocks, seller 1s. 3d.; Broken Hill South, seller 56s., buyer 52s.; Broken Hill South Extended, seller 7s. 6d., buyer 7s. 3d.; Broken Hill New Norths, seller 25s., buyer 22s. 6d.; Brisbane Block, contributing, seller 6s., buyer 3s. 6d.; Maritoto, contributing, seller 1s. 3d., buyer 10d.; Rising Sun, seller 5s. 3d., buyer 4s. 3d.; Victorian Cross, seller 7s., buyer 5s. 6d.; Terrible Dick, seller 4s. 6d., buyer 4s. 5d.; Lewis Ponds, contributing, seller 13s., buyer 10s. 6d.; Toms, contributing, seller 2s. 3d., buyer 1s. 3d.; One Tree Cordillera, paid up, seller 2s., buyer 1s. 3d.; Mount Costigan, seller 12s., buyer 10s. 9d.; Mount Costigan, contributing, seller 8s. 6d., buyer 8s.; Hero Freehold, paid up, seller 5s. 10½d., buyer 5s. 3d.; Hero Freehold, contributing, seller 3s. 6d., buyer 3s.

The following were the Melbourne quotations posted at the Exchange yesterday:—Silver: British Broken Hill, buyers 38s., seller 40s.; Ditto Block 10, buyer 22s., seller 22s. 6d.; Ditto No. 14 Block Company, buyer 54s. 6d., seller 55s., sales 54s. 6d.; Ditto Junction Company, buyer 26s., seller 27s.; Ditto North new, buyer 23s., seller 23s. 6d., sales 23s. 6d.; Ditto South, buyer 56s., seller 57s., sales 56s.; Cordillera, buyer 18s., seller 20s.; Lewis Ponds, buyer 10s. 9d., seller 11s. 6d.; Round Hill, buyer 40s., seller 52s. 6d. Gold: Band and Albion, seller 77s.; Mount Morgan, buyer £15 17s., seller £15 18s., sales £15 18s.

Mr. W. G. Anslow, 135, Pitt-street, reports having formed an influential syndicate to take over 2560 acres valuable coal land recently discovered, near Picton. Practical experts, we are informed, are confident that the seam is a continuation of the Bulli. There are two routes by which the mine can be easily connected with the main southern line by rail—one across a table-land about four miles from the top of the hill from which the outcrop appears, and the other along the basin of a valley a distance of about eight miles. Mr. Cox (of Messrs. Cox and Seaver) is now inspecting the property on behalf of the syndicate.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, MONDAY.

In gold companies, Chalk's Freehold, Golden Stream, Long Tunnel, Duke of Edinburgh, and North Johnson had sales at improved prices. Long Tunnel Extended and Band and Albion Consols were lower. A very limited business was done in silver companies. Those having most attention were—Broken Hill Proprietary, which had a rising market; South Broken, which receded a good deal, but recovered part of the fall at the close; Silver Crescent, which were in strong demand, and sold from 3s. to 4s. for contributing shares, while paid up were 3d. lower, the former being supposed to be largely over sold. Buyers refused to take paid-up shares in execution of contracts for contributing.

Sales: Broken Hill, £236 10s., £240; Block 14, 55s., 54s.; Junction, 28s., 27s.; South, paid, 57s., 53s., 55s. 6d.; British Brokens, 40s., 39s. 6d.; Centrals, paid, 14s. 6d., 14s.; Block 10, 55s.; Cordillera, 18s. 6d.; Costigan, new issue, 7s. 9d.; Lewis Pond, 11s. 3d., 10s. 9d.; New North Brokens, 24s., 23s.; Victoria Cross, 5s. 10½d.; Long Tunnel, £31; Mount Morgan, £15 18s., £16 2s.

INVERELL, MONDAY.

The banquet to Mr. E. W. Bathurst on Saturday night, at the Royal Hotel, was a great success, a large representative company being present. In the absence of the Mayor through indisposition, Mr. W. J. Murray, manager of the A. J. S. Bank, took the chair, the vice-chair being occupied by Mr. A. G. Jenkins, by whom the toast of the guest was proposed. Mr. Bathurst made an effective reply. He said that he was gratified at the success of the smelting works, and was convinced that Tingha tin would take the highest position in the London market. He instanced the great advance in the local price since the establishment of the smelting works, namely, £75 per ton, with tin at 15s 9d. per unit in Sydney, as compared with the former price of about £50 locally, when 15s. 9d. was the price in Sydney. He had paid £75 that day, and hoped to pay £80 next week. The banquet was very enjoyable. All the speakers concurred and eulogised Mr. Bathurst.

BROKEN HILL, MONDAY.

At the Herbert mine, near Nackara, South Australia, assays made of pulverised carbonate lead yielded over 16oz. of silver and 27 per cent. of lead, with a trace of gold. At the Yalcowinnia gold mine work is progressing satisfactorily. No. 2 shaft is down 50ft. on the lode, 15ft. to 16ft. wide. An assay made from a sample of ironstone during the past week yielded 179oz. of silver to the ton. At the Eaglehawk mine there is 40ft. of water in the shaft. Towards the end of the week something certain will be known as to the nature of the lode under the existing bottom level. The manager is confident that equal stuff will be got as the depth increases. It was thought one time that Browne's lode was different from that on which the other shaft, Roseman's, has been sunk, but the surveys seem to show that the lode is the same in both. In the last-named shaft the manager, by instructions from the directors, has begun to crosscut for the lode at a shallower depth than he would have done had he been left to follow his own discretion. In this drive he came on what seems to be a dependent seam, or of good looking gossany stuff, of exactly the character which usually carries the chlorides. A return has been received of the result of smelting at Footscray of a quantity of ore lately sent off as a bulk sample from the Eaglehawk mine. It was taken without selection, and the quantity passed through the smelters is given as 4 tons 17cwt. of silver, the yield being 1015 ounces, or equal to 210 ounces to the ton of ore. The ratio of the yield might have been increased had a little selection been used, and some poorer class of stone been thrown out. The yield, however, is very satisfactory, and as the lode is widening considerably in both the north and south drives, a large return of ore may be expected when the mine is cleared of water. There is a certain amount of iron pyrites coming in, which contains gold. Free gold is said also to have been seen.

INVERELL, MONDAY.

Mr. Spicer, manager of the Wheal Edith Tin Company, reports that the shaft on the lode going down is on very rich stone. There are 200 tons at the surface. The new shaft on the alluvial wash shows a rich run of wash. Rich surface discoveries have also been made on the company's property at Tingha Freehold Company. Howes, the new manager, has taken charge of some hundred tons of ore now at grass, and rich lode ore is now being raised. The Tributors are also raising rich washdirt. The want of rain is felt to wash up. The Butchart lode, adjoining this company, is raising very rich ore. The Smelting Company's returns are most satisfactory. Thirty tons ingot tin will be despatched this week. Rain is much wanted to enable the miners to send in their returns.

COOTAMUNDRA, MONDAY.

The Excelsior Reefing Company have crushed 50 tons for 28oz. 16dwt.

THE PROSPECTING BOARD.—PROGRESS REPORT.

The Minister for Mines (Mr. F. Abigail) has received the following progress report of the Prospecting Board in the Northern district. The report was submitted by Messrs. W. H. J. Slee (inspector of mines) and W. Anderson (geological surveyor):—"We left Sydney on August 2, reaching Tamworth on the morning of August 3. The same day we inspected the site referred to in Mr. Aiken's application, about three miles from Tamworth. The work carried on here has chiefly been surface work on a series of parallel veins and reefs of auriferous quartz, which traverse the Devonian slates and dip from the summit of the hill towards the creek. Aid has been granted to this applicant to drive a tunnel from near the level of the creek into the hill so as to cut the various veins and reefs at right angles. Next day (August 4) we drove to Moonbi, and visited the Colorado Proprietary Gold and Iron Mining Company's ground where there are a series of shafts sunk on small quartz leaders which are probably on a small line of fault, traversing jasperoid slates. Two miles to the west of this ground Mr. Giveny and party are engaged sinking on some quartz veins in a bed of ferruginous quartzite, containing iron pyrites. From Tamworth we journeyed to Nundle, and on August 4 rode to Hanging Rock, from which place we visited the alluvial claims, for which aid had been asked by Mr. Bond and the Tamworth Prospecting Company at Nimble Nook. These are adjoining claims, and both probably form parts of the alluvial tertiary deep lead, which is worked close to Hanging Rock. In the former claim (Mr. Bond's) a shaft has been sunk, through lignites and clays, to a depth of 92ft., but at that depth the bed rock was found to dip to the N. E., showing that the deepest part of the channel lies in that direction. The Tamworth Prospecting Company have driven a tunnel for a distance of 372ft., in the direction of E. 15° S., into a made tertiary hill, and from the character and position of the deposits met with in the course of the tunnel, there seems to be every possibility that the principal channel will be struck here. Aid was granted to this company to further extend their tunnel to a total length of 700ft. If this tunnel should prove the lead to be payably workable at this spot the claims in the immediate vicinity would be, also, to a certain extent proved. The only other application from Hanging Rock was from Messrs. Watts and Stringer, who are engaged about half-a-mile east of the township in driving a tunnel through a hard dioretic rock to strike the deep lead. The tunnel has been driven 163ft., and aid was granted to extend it further, to a total length of 150ft. Although this tertiary deep lead in the neighbourhood of Hanging Rock has been worked to a considerable extent, and has produced a large quantity of alluvial gold, there still remains large portions of it, in some places covered with basalt, that are wholly unprospected. These will, no doubt, in course of time, if systematically worked, be found to be payably workable. At Bowling Alley Point, the John Bull reef was visited on August 7, from which an application for aid had been made. This is an auriferous quartz reef, which occurs in connection with a diorite dyke. The party are engaged sinking on the underlay of the reef, endeavouring to follow it to its supposed junction with another auriferous reef which dips towards it, and whose outcrops run nearly parallel with it a few hundred yards distant. At present the work has been stopped on account of the large quantities of water in the workings. On August 8 we arrived at Uralla from Tamworth. The same day we inspected various sites for which aid to prospect had been asked. The applications numbered seven, all being to test alluvial ground, and were from the following claims:—Carroll, Rice, and party, Jubilee Claim, Everett's Claim, Tug of War, Lecce and party for the Old Rocky River Gold-mining Company, W. Carroll and party, and Mr. French. The first six applications were from adjoining claims on Doherty's-hill, which is a basalt-capped hill covering a portion of the tertiary deep lead which proved so rich in alluvial gold on Sydney Flat and the southern end of Mount Jones. The difficulty with which all these parties have to contend is the presence of water in the workings whenever the drift is struck. Aid was granted to the Old Rocky River Gold-mining Company, and also to Carroll, Rice, and party, these being the two parties working at either extremity of Doherty's Hill. If either party should thereby prove the lead to be of a payable nature in this hill, all the other claims will be more or less proved. On the following day (August 9), the application of Mr. French was considered, and the ground therein referred to visited. A considerable amount of work has been done by this applicant in tunnelling into Mount Jones, below the basalt which caps it. Four tunnels, measuring respectively 700ft., 750ft., 500ft., and 450ft., have been driven, passing radially towards a central point in the hill, and thus leaving only a very small portion of it unprospected, certainly not more than 100 square yards. In the course of this tunnelling a little gold was got, but never in any quantity, and there are no evidences whatever to show that there is any rich auriferous deposits in this portion of the hill, the deeper and auriferous ground having been successfully worked on the southern end of the hill."

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Root Hog Gold-mining Syndicate, Hill End.—Have 4 tons of quartz bagged. Reef from 12in. to 18in. thick, showing good gold throughout. Have sunk 4ft. further on reef, which improves in quality going down.

The Mount Costigan North S. and L. Mining Company, Limited, September 1.—The week's progress made in the drive is 7ft.; making a total of 37ft. The country is much about the same—almost vertical—which causes us to have driven so far without cutting the lode. I completed the timbering of the shaft to-day, so we shall make better headway in the drive now.

Webb's Central Proprietary Company, Limited, September 1 (by telegraph).—Have cut lode in drive in No. 2 shaft. It looks splendid; 3ft. across, and I am not yet through it.

Great Western Gold-mining Company, Limited.—Main shaft has been sent down 14ft; total depth from surface 120ft. Continuous improvement in prospecting shaft; reef developing and carrying a fair percentage of gold. Raised about 10 tons during the week.

Alexandra Hill Gold-mining Company, No Liability.—By telegraph, September 1: 50 tons back shaft stones, 73oz. Finish crushing from main shaft Wednesday.

Delaney's Dyke Gold-mining Company, Limited, September 1.—Struck good gold in north drive to-day. In south shaft we have broken into the east lode at a depth of 100ft.

New Broken Hill Extended, August 24.—Contractors for cutting down shaft in north-east corner of block 38 as a main shaft started work on 22nd instant, and have so far made good progress with the work.

Silver King North, Purnamoota, August 24.—Drive extended 8ft., total 14ft. Inclined to think lode we have in shaft is main lode.

Broken Hill Undulay, August 24.—Deepening of dam, also fencing in same in progress.

Rising Sun, 25th August.—Contractors finished engine shaft to water level. Have started three shifts to drive east, and cut lode at this level, also one shift sinking in underlay shaft to connect with crosscut from engine shaft. Distance between the two shafts about 70ft.

Rising Sun Extended, 25th August.—Western drive extended 9ft.: total, 45ft.; little change since last report. Country still mixture quartz, iron, and galena.

Sutten, Broken Hill, 30th August.—North shaft sunk 51ft., lode 4ft. 6in. thick; appears to improve and get stronger as sunk on. A bulk assay taken at 40ft. gave 17½ per cent. of lead, 6oz. 10dwt. 16gr. silver, 8½ per cent. copper.

The Sunny Corner Silver-mining Company, Limited.—September 7: Reverberatory and two Pacific furnaces have run full time, reducing the following material, viz.:—120 tons first matte, 56 tons second matte, 310 tons roasted black mineral, 112 tons raw tailings, 4 tons gossan ore, 211 tons probert slag, 36 tons flue dust; total, 849 tons. Estimated assay value of product for week ended 25th August, after deducting value of remelted matte already reported, is £3006 10s. Week's work: During the past week all the furnaces have done good work. D. Pacific furnace has been prepared, and will be blown in towards latter end of this week, and so enable us to put through a larger quantity of mineral. The framing of roof over No. 8 reverberatory has been put in place, and work on the furnace has advanced towards completion. The tramway has been laid to No. 9 kiln. Mine: No. 2 eastern crosscut driven 2ft.; ground same as last reported. In the drive in footway we have been shooting out the eastern side, but have not got wall yet. There are nice leaders of black mineral dropping to the east. Contractors in No. 3 winges sunk 10ft., total depth of 35ft.; the lode here still looks well. The stopes in upper workings all continue good.

True Blue Nos. 1 and 2 North, and Black Amalgamated Gold-mining Company, Limited.—(By telegraph.)—Sunk underlie shaft 5ft. Have driven at 100ft. level 11ft., formation 4ft. wide, 18in. reef. Footwall same class of reef that shaft was sunk on, which I think will cut out before long, and a change for the better come in.

Rising Sun South Silver Mine, 25th August.—A further depth of 5ft. has been sunk in No. 2 shaft, making a total depth of 80ft. from surface. The stratum passed through this week is much the same as last week. It consists of garnet sandstone carrying a little galena intermixed with quartz, iron, and thin seams of kaolin. The country rock is very unsettled, and requires to be timbered.

The Lubra Silver-mining Company, No Liability.—(By telegraph), August 31.—Past week driven 8ft. Report by mail.

The White Rock Proprietary Silver-mining Company, Limited, September 3.—14 tons of rich ore have been forwarded during past week: 35 tons same quality are now stacked ready for the teams. The large vein has now been cut through, and the workings will allow of chambering, and sinking operations to commence upon it in a fortnight's time. Shaft south side of the creek is sunk to 60ft., coming into quartz, thus evidencing a similar character to the main lode on the other side. The first and second dams are now completed and ready for the rain, which is much wanted.

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ABSTRACT OF TRANSACTIONS.

Particulars.	August, 1888.	Since the 1st January.
Weight of Gold received for Coinage:—		
Description—		
New South Wales	9,609·56oz.	53,645·87oz.
Queensland	50,193·80oz.	332,318·88oz.
New Zealand	1,733·18oz.	3,187·50oz.
Victoria	...	7·33oz.
Tasmania	...	14·90oz.
South Australia	92·20oz.	1,215·17oz.
Other countries	99·82oz.	617·73oz.
Coin	...	17,185·95oz.
Total	61,728·56oz.	408,721·33oz.
Gross value of the above	£210,739 16 6	£1,436,152 16 2
Gold Coin and Gold Bullion issued:—		
Coin—		
Sovereigns	£70,000 0 0	£1,328,000 0 0
Half-sovereigns	...	...
Bullion	133 11 1	612 8 9
Total	£ 70,133 11 1	£1,328,612 8 9
Silver bullion issued	£1,056 11 2	£8,968 1 8
New silver coin issued	850 0 0	7,635 0 0
New bronze coin issued	330 0 0	1,130 0 0
Worn silver coin withdrawn from circulation	100 0 0	1,750 0 0
Revenue paid over—		
Mint receipts	686 4 8	7,234 19 4
Escort charges	47 4 4	308 7 0

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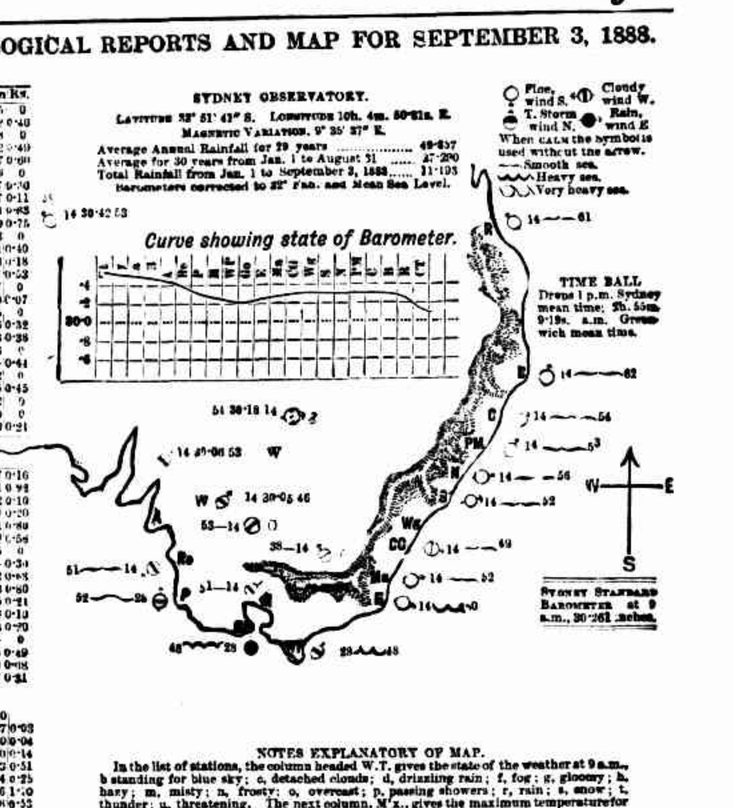
METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR SEPTEMBER 3, 1888.

Stations.	wt.	Mx.	m.	Rn.
Albury	b	45	35	0
Armidale	b	64	37	0·40
Balranald	g	69	38	0
Bathurst	g	54	32	0·40
Bendem'r	b	62	27	0·60
Bodalla	b	65	38	0
Bourke	b	66	37	0·30
Bowral	b	50	37	0·11
Bundarra	b	64	33	0·83
C'md'n H.	b	74	49	0·75
C. St. Geo.	b	59	43	0
Carcoar	b	70	41	0·40
Casino	b	75	36	0·18
Cassilis	b	56	37	0·53
Clarence	b	76	47	0
C'nd'b'lin	b	77	40	0·07
Cooma	b	46	25	0
Coonab'n.	b	40	26	0·32
Cowra	b	58	38	0·38
Cudg'llico	b	74	46	0
Coonamble	r	—	—	0·44
Deniliq'n.	c	62	32	0
Dubbo	b	59	45	0·45
Eden	b	65	42	0
Euston	c	61	30	0
Forbes	b	—	40	0·21
G'bolaind	b	56	47	0·16
Glen Inn's	b	—	31	0·92
Goulburn	b	54	32	0·10
Grafton	b	84	44	0·20
Gulgong	b	65	31	0·80
Gunned'h	b	71	38	0·56
Hay	g	62	35	0
Hill End	c	—	—	0·30
Inverell	b	60	32	0·83
Kiandra	u	51	16	0·80
Lismore	b	77	45	0·21
Maitland	b	65	36	0·10
Marsdens	c	60	43	0·70
Menindie	c	—	—	0
Molong	c	51	35	0·49
M'r'ng'r'll	c	56	40	0·08
Moree	b	70	37	0·31
Moruya	b	62	40	
Moss Vale	b	52	37	0·03
Mt. Hope	g	63	50	0·04
M. Vict'ria	b	49	30	0·14
Mudgee	b	69	33	0·51
M'rr'mb'a	g	58	34	0·25
M'rr'r'ndi	b	65	36	1·10
Mus'lbr'k	b	63	39	0·53
Narrabri	b	71	29	0·46
Newcastle	b	—	42	0·20
Orange	b	48	38	0·70
Picton	b	61	39	0·12
P. M'q'rie	b	64	39	0·95
P. St'ph'n	b	69	40	0·85
Q'nbeyan	b	62	35	0·03
Quirindi	b	66	35	0·85
Singleton	b	72	42	0·45
Sydney	b	59	45	0·02
T'mworth	b	60	39	0·81
Taralga	b	—	—	0·21
T'nt'rfield	b	76	29	0·13
Wagga	b	58	26	0·07
Walcha	b	66	20	0·49
Walgett	b	59	40	30
Warialda	b	65	40	0·50
Warrah	b	65	35	0·82
W'ntw'rth	c	61	41	0·02
Wilcannia	c	61	44	0·03
W'll'ng'ng	b	62	44	0·04
Young	b	71	35	0·16

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

LATITUDE 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·21s. E.
MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.

Average Annual Rainfall for 29 years ..... 49·657
Average for 30 years from Jan. 1 to August 31 ..... 27·290
Total Rainfall from Jan. 1 to September 3, 1888 ..... 11·193
Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level.



NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations, the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, M'x., gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. M'n. the corresponding minimum temperature; R'n. the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each station the wind symbol points to the direction in which the wind is blowing, is in fact an arrow flying with the wind. A clear circle with it means fine weather, a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour. Next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown:—Pt. Perth; Ay. Albany; Ea. Eucla; CB. Cape Borda; A. Adelaide; Ro. Robe; P. Portland; M. Melbourne; WP. Wilson's Promontory; Go. Gabo; E. Eden; Ma. Moruya; CG. Jervois Bay; WG. Woollongong; S. Sydney; N. Newcastle; PM. Port Macquarie; C. Clarence River; B. Brisbane; R. Rockhampton; Ct. Cooktown. Inland, the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

The rainfall on Sundays and holidays, when the map is not published, is in all cases included in the quantities shown by the next following map.

SYNOPSIS.

Western Australia.—Cloudy on south coast; fine in west.
South Australia.—More or less cloudy, and at places light rains.
Victoria and Straits.—Cloudy and showery on coast; unsettled inland.
Tasmania.—Showery, with light south wind at Hobart.
New South Wales.—Cloudy in S.W.; scattered clouds over centre; fine and clear elsewhere.
Queensland.—Cloudy and showery in N.E.; fine inland; scattered clouds in S.E.
Central and N. Australia.—Fine, with light to fresh S.E. winds.
New Zealand.—Cloudy in north; fine over centre and in south; northerly winds.
Forecast (New South Wales).—Generally fine, with winds west to southerly, and perhaps a little rain on the coast.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Bathurst, W., fine, temperature 57°; Wentworth, S.S.W., fine, temperature 64°; Dubbo, W., fine, temperature 60°; Deniliquin, S., cloudy, temperature 60°; Hay, S.W., cloudy, temperature 60°; Forbes, S.W., cloudy, temperature 56°; Goulburn, calm, fine, temperature 60°; Port Macquarie, S.E., fine, temperature 66°; Newcastle, S.E., fine, temperature, 58°; Cape St. George, S.E., fine, temperature 57.; Eden, W.S.W., fine, temperature 57.; Clarence, S., fine, temperature 65°; Sydney, S.S.E., fine, temperature 59°.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR SEPTEMBER 4.

Sun rises at 6.16, sets at 5.42; moon, 5.4 a.m., 3.22 p.m.; Mercury, 6.47 a.m., 6.22 p.m.; Venus, 7.1 a.m., 6.50 p.m.; Mars, 9.37 a.m., 11.38 p.m.; Jupiter, 10.1 a.m., 11.52 a.m.; Saturn, 4.56 a.m., 3.25 p.m. New moon, 6th; full moon, 20th.
High water at Fort Denison, 6.40 a.m., 7.7 p.m.
H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

COMMERCIAL.

The following is a return of colonial spirits at the bonded distilleries for the week ended Friday, August 31, 1888, in proof gallons:—

Description of stock, rum; stock in store August 24, 1888, 13,038; since distilled, 4262; issued for bond, 3548; total issues during the week, 3548; rate of duty, 14s; stock in store August 31, 1888, 13,752.

The following is a return of foreign sugar at the bonded refineries for the same period:—

Stock August 24, 1888, 3222 tons 9cwt. 0qr. 2lb.; received during week, 110 tons 1cwt. 1qr. 24lb.; issued during week, duty paid, 219 tons 0cwt. 2qr. 24lb.; export, 24 tons 5cwt. 0qr. 24lb.; total issues, 243 tons 5cwt. 3qr. 20lb.; stock, August 31, 1888, 3089 tons 4cwt. 2qr. 7lb.

PRODUCE MARKET—MONDAY.

This morning at Darling Harbour auction sales there was a good attendance of the trade. The supply of forage forward was below Monday's average, owing to some extent to the scarcity of trucks, in consequence of the great demand in the coal trade. The quantity consisted of 34 trucks. The late rain in the country districts had some influence on buyers, who did not operate so freely as at last sale, but prices were firm. Business in wood was moderately active. At the wharfs fair consignments were received from Northern rivers, Southern ports, and the adjacent colonies. Trade opened quietly. Potatoes, bran, and pollard were firm. Onions easier. The following prices were obtained at Darling Harbour sales:—

Wood.—Smaller supplies than of late. Good foot-wood was in most demand. Billet, 8s to 11s per ton; bundle, 8s to 12s; foot, 8s 6d to 12s 6d; bakers', 7s 6d to 10s 6d.

Hay.—Sixteen trucks to hand. Oaten kinds were unaltered, but lucerne descriptions were not competed for so freely as at Friday's sale, and prices easier. Best oaten in bundles, 5s 5d to 6s 8d per cwt.; other sorts, 3s 10d to 3s 11d; bales, 4s 7d to 5s; lucerne in truss, 4s 3d; bales from Mudgee, 4s 8d; Wellington, 5s; Bathurst, 4s 10d to 5s; oaten and wheaten in bundles, 5s 6d.

Straw.—Six trucks received. Clean and bright wheaten, in bundles, 2s 6d to 3s per cwt.; medium, 2s 2d to 2s 3d. Derrick-pressed, 2s 9d to 2s 10d.

Chaff.—Consignments forward consisted of 12 trucks. Bets lots were very firm. Oaten, in bags, 5s 4d to 6s 2d per cwt. Other kinds, 4s 4d to 5s 1d.

At the wharfs the following were the wholesale quotations:—

Maize.—Yesterday's shipments from the various Northern rivers amounted to 2049 bags. Steady, 3s 1d per bushel.

Oats.—Good bright heavy feed ranges from 2s 3d to 2s 5d per bushel; milling, 2s 6d; medium sorts, 2s 2d; seed still slack.

Barley: Cape seed nominal at 2s 10d to 3s per bushel.

Bran.—Firm, at 1s 3d per bushel.

Pollard.—At 1s 1d per bushel.

Hay.—Larger supplies from the Hunter River this morning than for several days past. Best well-saved green lucerne quoted £6 to £6 10s per ton. Brown summer to £5.

Chaff.—Stocks replenished from the neighbouring colonies last night. A steady demand was maintained. Adelaide parcels, £4 10s to £5 per ton; Victorian, £4 to £5.

Potatoes.—Market firm. Warrnambool, £3 10s per ton; good New Zealand, £4 10s; Circular Head, £4 to £4 10s; Ballarats, £3 15s to £4.

Onions.—Supplies accumulating, and prices weaker. Victorian sorts, £7 to £7 10s per ton.

Butter.—Unchanged. Prime Illawarra, in keg, 1s 6d to 1s 9d per lb.; roll to 1s 10d; factory made, 1s 9d to 2s; New Zealand, to 1s 6d.

Cheese.—A small Southern ports consignment of 230 yesterday. Ordinary colonial classes, 6d to 7d. per lb.; loaf and special brands to 7½d.

Bacon.—Hand-cured Southern steady, 6d to 8d per lb.; machine-cured, 5d to 7d; heavy and rough pieces, 3d to 3d; New Zealand bacon, 9d; hams, 1s.

Lard.—Finely rendered in bladders quoted 5d to 6d per lb. bulk, 3½d to 4½d.

Eggs.—Ample supplies. Quiet, 9d to 10d per dozen.

Poultry.—Unchanged, at per pair:—Fowls, 2s 9d to 4s; ducks, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; geese, 5s to 7s; turkeys, 6s to 12s.

FAT STOCK SALES.

At the Homebush fat stock sales yesterday, only a short supply, comprising 419 head of cattle, were yarded. There was a good attendance of buyers. A strong demand was experienced, and prices advanced fully 20s per head on last Thursday's rates. Best beef quoted at 24s. Prime bullocks averaged £9 5s 9d per head, others from £7 6s 6d; cows, £4 4s to £6 8s. 8300 sheep were penned. This number was inadequate for requirements, consequently prices were firmer to the extent of 1s per head. The best lot of merino wethers sold at 12s 8d per head, others from 8s 9d. Lambs realised 6s 7d to 7s 7d. The following sales are reported:—By Messrs. Wilkinson and Lavender.—344 wethers (Mackay Bros.), 9s 1d to 10s; draft of stags at 9s, and draft of young lambs at 7s 6d. By Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited.—72 bullocks (Christian and Grice), at £9 5s 9d; 160 wethers (Walhallow Estate) at 12s 8d, 1133 wethers at 11s 3d to 11s 6d, 89 wethers at 9s 6d, 128 wethers at 11s 5d, 46 wethers at 9s 6d; 2271 wethers (T. Cook and Co.) at 11s, 17 wethers at 9s 3d; 143 lambs (Southern agents), few at 7s 7d. By Messrs. Griffiths and Weaver.—9 bullocks for Western agents, £7 5s 1d; 9 cows, £4 4s. By Mr. Warden Henry Graves.—800 wethers for J. Mulcahy, averaging 8s 9d. By Messrs. Hill, Clark, and Co.—105 bullocks (Cox, Dowling, and Stephen) at £8 18s 7d, 49 cows at £6 8s; 10 bullocks (J. T. Mutton), at £9; 200 wethers (W. K. M'Millan), at 11s 6d, 591 seconds at 10s 1d to 10s 3d, 9 culls at 9s 2d; 1999 wethers (Power and Ball), at 9s 11d to 10s 8d; 146 lambs (Warmoll and Green), at 6s 7d to 7s. By Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited.—Privately, 800 crossbred wethers from Kickerbill station. By Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe.—58 bullocks for D. Dempsey, averaging £7 6s 6d. By Messrs. T. Sullivan and Son.—For Langloh Parker, 1000 ewes at 7s 9d, 220 at 6s. By Messrs. Joseph Leeds and Co.—25 wethers (J. M'Calman) at 12s, 350 11s 1d to 11s 7d, 65 ewes at 11s 11d, 84 at 10s 1d. By Messrs. Brown Brothers and Co.—For J. Donohoe, 59 bullocks at £8 11s 8d; for D. Dempsey, Farley, 52 bullocks at £7 9s 6d.

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I beg to call attention to a serious mistake some of those who set papers at the University fall into, viz., of giving but a few questions on a large subject. This is very unfair to both masters and pupils. Take, for example, last year's paper on physiology; there are only four questions given, while botany had eight, geology eight, history eight, and so on. It is quite possible a boy might miss two of four particular questions in so large a subject as the composition of the human system, and yet have a fair knowledge. Why not do on all subjects as was done in last year's Senior History, viz., give ten questions, with an option of eight out of the 10? Some years ago I prepared boys in European history. When the examination day came, behold there were three questions given in European, and one in Americo-African history. My boys did two out of the three fairly, yet they failed. Now had they got a paper similar to that given last year on the same subject, I am quite certain the same boys would have passed. The result of setting papers of a few questions is to disgust both masters and pupils with that particular subject, since their year's labours may go for nothing for want of a fair chance at the examinations.

I am, &c., MASTER.

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Government Notices.

[3871] The Treasury, New South Wales, 28th August, 1888.

HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR directs the publication, for general information, of the following Dispatch received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, on the subject of Trade with the Marshall Islands.

J. F. BURNS.

(Circular.) Downing-street, 30th June, 1888.

My Lord,

I have the honor to transmit to you, for communication to your Government, a copy of a Dispatch from her Majesty's Minister at Washington, forwarding one from her Majesty's Consul at San Francisco, on the subject of trade with the Marshall Islands.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) KNUTSFORD.

Governor, the Right Honourable Lord Carrington, G.C.M.G.

No. 1.

Sir L. West to the Marquis of Salisbury.—(Received May 28.) (No. 150. Commercial.)

Washington, May 18, 1888.

My Lord,

I have the honor to enclose to your Lordship herewith copy of a Dispatch, as well as copy of enclosure, which I have received from her Majesty's Consul at San Francisco relative to trade with the Marshall Islands.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) L. S. SACKVILLE WEST.

[Enclosure 1 in No. 1.]
Consul Donohoe to Sir L. West.

San Francisco, May 10, 1888.

Sir,—I have the honor to enclose copy of a letter which I received this morning from the Imperial German Consul relative to trade with the Marshall Islands.

There is some trade in schooners from San Francisco with these islands, but the vessels are under the American flag.

Upon making inquiries here, I find that the vessels under the British flag trading there usually hail from the Australian colonies.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) D. DONOHOE.

[Enclosure 2 in No. 1.]
M. Rosenthal to Consul Donohoe.

San Francisco, May 1, 1888.

Sir,—The Imperial German Government has declared the port of Yalint to be the only port of entry of the Marshall Islands.

The masters of those ships which come from any port outside of said islands have to enter the port of Yalint, and to report to the Imperial Commissioner at said lastmentioned port before touching any other one of the said islands.

Any violation of any of the foregoing provisions shall be punishable by fine not exceeding 6000 marks. This fine may be enforced against the ship and cargo without regard to the owner of the same, and the forfeiture of the ship may be adjudged.

It being desirable that all parties concerned receive timely notice of the foregoing, I would most respectfully request you to have the masters of such ships as are under your official control and may go to the Marshall Islands informed of the above requirements.

I am, &c.,
(Signed) A. ROSENTHAL,
Imperial German Consul.

NOTIFICATION OF RESUMPTION OF LAND UNDER 44 VICTORIA, No. 16.

New South Wales, to wit.

By his Excellency the Right Honorable Charles Robert, Baron Carrington, a member of her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the most distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies.

(L.S.) CARRINGTON, Governor.

Whereas the parcel of land hereinafter described is required for the purpose of the erection thereon of a Public School and of buildings to be used in connection therewith: And whereas, I, as such Governor as aforesaid, with the advice of the Executive Council of the said colony, have sanctioned the acquisition of the said land for a site for a Public School: Now, therefore, I, CHARLES ROBERT, BARON CARRINGTON, the Governor aforesaid, with the advice of the said Executive Council, in pursuance of the power and authority given to or vested in me by The Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act, by this notification published in the Gazette and a newspaper circulated in the police district wherein the said land is situated, that is to say, in the Sydney Morning Herald newspaper, declare that the parcel of land hereinafter particularly described has been resumed for the purposes of the erection thereon of a Public School and of buildings in connection therewith: And that the said land hereinafter described is resumed with the intent that by the publication in the Government Gazette, and in a newspaper circulated in the police district of Parramatta, of this notification of the said land being so resumed, the said land shall forthwith become and be vested in the Minister of Public Instruction of the said colony and his successors, on behalf of her Majesty, for the purposes of the said Act, for an estate of inheritance in fee simple in possession, freed and discharged from all trusts, obligations, estates, interests, contracts, charges, rights-of-way, or other easements whatsoever, and that the legal estate therein, together with all powers incident thereto or conferred by the said Act, shall be vested in the Minister of Public Instruction as a Trustee, as in the said Act is provided: And I declare that the following is the parcel of land hereinbefore referred to, as resumed by this notification, that is to say:—

All that piece or parcel of land, being allotments 1 to 5 of section E of Sunnyside North subdivision, and allotment 1 of the village of Woolwich, parish of Hunter's Hill, county of Cumberland, originally forming part of T. D. Edwards' 8 acres and 5½ acres grants, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 39½ perches: Commencing at the intersection of the eastern side of Gladstone-avenue with the north side of the main road from Hunter's Hill to Woolwich or Onion's Point; and bounded thence on the south by that side of that road, being lines bearing east 304 38-100 links and south 86 degrees 52 minutes east 59 32-100 links; thence on the east by a line bearing north 585 4-10 links; thence on part of the north by the southern side of a reserve extending 100 feet from high-water mark of the Lane Cove River bearing westerly to the east boundary of allotment 4 of section E of Sunnyside North subdivision aforesaid; thence on part of the west by part of that boundary and the easterly termination of North-parade bearing south 136 7-10 links; thence on the remainder of the north by the southern side of that parade, being lines bearing south 87 degrees 30 minutes west 230 9-10 links and north 82 degrees 31 minutes west 42 42-100 links; and thence on the remainder of the west by the east side of Gladstone-avenue aforesaid bearing south 374 4-10 links to the point of commencement.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the Colony to be hereto affixed, at Government House, Sydney, this twenty-third day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and in the fifty-second year of her Majesty's reign.

By his Excellency's Command,
JAMES INGLIS.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 31st August, 1888.

TENDERS FOR REPAIRS.

TENDERS are invited for Repairs to the Public School Premises, at Rookwood.

Specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the Office of the Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, and at the Public School, Rookwood, on application to the Teacher.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Repairs, Rookwood Public School," must be lodged with the Under Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, at or before 10 o'clock a.m., on Monday, the 17th September, 1888.

The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAMES INGLIS.

Ordnance Office, Sydney, August 30, 1888.

TENDERS FOR ACCOUTREMENTS, &c.

TENDERS will be received at this office up to noon of FRIDAY, the 7th day of September, from persons willing to supply the undermentioned Accoutrements, &c., viz.:—

More or less:
350 Pelham Bits
380 Bandoliers
380 Brown Leather Waistbelts
400 Carbine Slings
350 Neckropes
350 Canvas Water Bottles
350 Carbine Buckets
300 Pairs Jack Spurs
12 Sam. Browne Belts

and also for the Alteration of a number of Bit-straps and Reins.

Samples of above may be viewed, and all particulars obtained, on application at the Ordnance Office, Lower George-street.

Tenders will be received either for one, or more, or the whole of the articles enumerated, and it is to be distinctly understood that tenderers cannot withdraw their tenders if the whole offer be not accepted.

Tenders to be addressed "The Deputy Assistant Commissary-General of Ordnance," and endorsed "Tender for Accoutrements."

The successful tenderer will be required to deposit the sum of £25, by marked cheque, to be returned on due fulfilment of the contract.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,
J. T. BLANCHARD, Major,
D. A. C.-General of Ordnance.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

WATER RATES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Service Pipes supplying water to all premises on which water rates are owing on 8th September next, for the last and previous half-years, will be disconnected at the Main, and legal proceedings instituted for the recovery of the moneys due.

The Board regret they have been compelled to adopt this course, owing to the very large number of rates still outstanding.

By order,
REGINALD BLOXSOME, Secretary.

Water Supply and Sewerage Department, old A. S. N. Co.'s offices, George-st. North.

29th August, 1888.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 31st August, 1888.

ROSEHILL COURSING MEETING.

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, and THURSDAY, 4th, 5th, and 6th September, 1888.

On the ABOVE DATES a SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Sydney for the Racecourse at 11.25 a.m., returning at 4.40 p.m.

Passengers can also travel by the ordinary 11 a.m. train from Sydney to CLYDE, where a SPECIAL TRAIN will be in readiness to convey them to the Racecourse.

FARES, RETURN—1st class, 3s.; 2nd class, 2s.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, 1st September, 1888.

HAWKESBURY RACES.

THURSDAY and SATURDAY, 13th and 15th September, 1888.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS to WINDSOR, CLARENDON, and RICHMOND, will be issued at all Stations from the 13th to the 15th September inclusive, available for return until the 17th September.

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CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Railways, Sydney, August 30, 1888.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

TENDERS will be received at this Office up to 11 a.m. on the dates mentioned hereunder for the public works, &c., specified in the following schedule:—

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates for Receipt of Tenders.
The Supply and Delivery on the Mudgee Railway Line of 2000 cubic yards of Hard Stone Ballast. Particulars District Engineer, Bathurst. The Construction and Erection complete of Alterations and Additions to Passenger Station at Orange. Particulars District Engineer, Bathurst. The Supply and Delivery at Redfern Station of 900 super. feet of Flagging. Particulars District Engineer, Redfern, to whom samples of the Flagging proposed to be supplied are to be submitted. The Supply and Delivery at Wingello Railway Station of 1000 Ironbark Posts. Particulars District Engineer, Goulburn. The Supply and Erection of four miles of Steel Barbed Wire Fencing, between 150 and 152 miles on the Great Northern Railway. Particulars District Engineer, Newcastle. The Supply and Delivery at Boggabri, Turrawan, or Narrabri Railway Stations of 6000 Ironbark Railway Sleepers; and of 4000 Ironbark Railway Sleepers at Bullock Island Dyke Wharf or Honeysuckle Point Railway Station. Particulars District Engineer, Newcastle. The Supply and Delivery, on the Ground, at Strathfield Railway Station, of 140,000 Bricks. Particulars District Engineer, Redfern	Wednesday, 5th September.
The manufacture (in the colony) of three Steel Gas-holders (stationary) for the Locomotive Department. Particulars Locomotive Engineer, Eveleigh	Wednesday, 12th September.
The Manufacture (in the colony), Supply and Delivery of 252,000 Wrought Iron Rail Spikes, and 33,000 Chair Spikes. Particulars, Engineer for Existing Lines, 44, Phillip-street, Sydney.	Wednesday, 19th September.
The Erection of a Waiting Shed, Ticket Office, and Station-master's Cottage, at Eastern Road, Hornsby and St. Leonards Railway. Particulars Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Sydney.	Wednesday, 26th September.

NOTE.—For further particulars see Government Gazette, a file of which is kept at every Post-office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Public Companies.

FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS.

Subscribed Capital ...	£800,000
Paid-up Capital ...	£400,000
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits ...	£96,584

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at CURRENT RATES, for 3, 6, and 12 Months.

All usual Banking Business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD, Manager.

THE SYDNEY DEPOSIT AND DISCOUNT BANK.

BEAUMONT-CHAMBERS, 90, KING-STREET.

AGENCIES IN LONDON AND THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA.

The following are the rates of interest allowed for FIXED DEPOSITS:—

3 years ...	9½ per cent.
12 months ...	8½ per cent.
6 months ...	7½ per cent.
3 months ...	5½ per cent.

Overdrafts granted against Deposit of Deeds, and all usual Banking Business transacted.

Communications from the country, addressed to the General Manager, will be promptly attended to.

H. LIKELY, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

FOR LIFE ASSURANCE ON THE MUTUAL PRINCIPLE.

Established 1849.

Head Office—87, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Directors:
J. P. ABBOTT, Esq., M.P., Chairman
JAMES R. HILL, Esq., Deputy-chairman
J. T. WALKER, Esq.
JOHN ARTHUR, Esq.
THOS. LITTLEJOHN, Esq.
JAMES THOMSON, Esq.
ROBERT J. KING, Esq.

Chief Medical Officer:
JAS. C. COX, M.D.

Actuary:
MORRICE A. BLACK, F.I.A.

Secretary:
RICHARD TEECE, F.I.A.

This Society is the only Australian Life Office which declares a BONUS EVERY YEAR.

The PRINCIPAL SOURCES OF PROFIT are—the high rate of interest obtained on the accumulated funds; the small percentage that the expenses of management bear to the annual income; and the extremely favourable rate of mortality which continues to be experienced.

MEMBERS MAY BORROW on their Policies to the extent of 90 per cent. of the Surrender Value.

Policies are not forfeited so long as the Surrender Value is sufficient to pay one Premium.

BONUSES VEST after Policies have been two full years in force.

NEW BUSINESS OF 1887:
9,835 Policies, assuring £3,228,345, with new Premiums of £121,314.

Divisible surplus of the year 1887 ...	£373,343
Policies in force ...	82,105
Assuring (with Bonus additions) ...	£33,000,000
Annual Income ...	£1,423,585

Accumulated Funds—SEVEN AND A-HALF MILLIONS STERLING.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE SOCIETY.

Established 1872.

Capital—£100,000, with power to increase to £1,000,000.
BONUSES—20 per cent., paid annually since 1873.

Directors:
Hon. John Sutherland, M.L.A., Chairman.
John Wetherill, Esq., J.P. | Wm. Hezlet, Esq., J.P.
James Green, Esq., J.P. | S. H. Cary, Esq.

FIRST FIRE SOCIETY ESTABLISHED in the COLONY on the MUTUAL PRINCIPLE, GIVING POLICY-HOLDERS BACK PART of their PREMIUMS as a CASH BONUS out of PROFITS EVERY YEAR.

Policy-holders are perfectly free by law from all liability.

Fifteen days' grace allowed for the payment of renewal premiums.

DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING AND EXPLOSIONS BY GAS PAID.

Prompt and liberal settlement for fires.

Fire Insurance at LOWEST RATES.

WALTER CHURCH, Manager.

HEAD OFFICES—CORNER PITT and KING STREETS.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANKING COMPANY, Limited, corner of PITT and MARKET STREETS (only), Sydney.

Incorporated by Act of Council.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
Hon. FRANCIS ABIGAIL, M.L.A., Chairman.
JOHN HURLEY, M.L.A. | JOHN SCOTT
JOHN VANN | Alderman JOHN MAHONEY
Alderman S. G. DAVISON, J.P. | J. F. MARTIN.

A DIVIDEND (the last declared), on 26th July, of 10 per cent. per annum, payable on and after the 10th of August, at the bank, corner of Pitt and Market streets, Sydney.

THE BANK TRANSACTS ALL USUAL BANKING BUSINESS in every particular.

Special Advantages granted to Commercial Clients.

Overdrafts Granted against Deposits of Deeds.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON FIXED DEPOSITS:

At 3 months ...	4 per cent.
At 6 months ...	5 per cent.
At 12 months ...	6 per cent.

By order of the Board of Directors.

RODERICK M'NAMARA, Acting-Manager.

GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Head Office: 11, Lombard-street, London.

Established 1821.

Subscribed Capital ...	£2,000,000
Capital Paid Up ...	£1,000,000
Total Funds upwards of ...	£3,800,000
Total Annual Income ...	£800,000.

The undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at Sydney, are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against FIRE on the usual terms.

GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO., 37, Pitt-street.

AUSTRALIAN GENERAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (MARINE).

HEAD OFFICE: 97, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

Established 1858.

Paid-up Capital ...	£42,000
Reserve Fund ...	40,000

Board of Directors:
CHARLES SMITH, Esq., Chairman;
HENRY AUSTIN, Esq. | JOHN GILCHRIST, Esq.
RICHARD BINNIE, Esq. | Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C.
Hon. JAMES WATSON, M.L.C.

MARINE RISKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES.

WOOL INSURED from time of shearing until reaching London.

HENRY T. FOX, Manager.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL ...	£2,000,000
SUBSCRIBED AND PAID UP ...	557,000

HEAD OFFICE: 40, Threadneedle-street, LONDON.

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SYDNEY BRANCH: 163, PITT-STREET.

JAMES STEELE, Manager.

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL EXCHANGE BANK OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

HEAD OFFICE, CIRCULAR QUAY, opposite Custom House.

CAPITAL—£500,000.

DIRECTORS:
R. H. REYNOLDS, Esq., Chairman.
T. S. RICHARDSON, Esq., Managing Director.
THOMAS JONES, Esq., and
E. C. V. BROUGHTON, Esq.

This Bank undertakes the EXCHANGE OF MONEY, both INTERNATIONAL and INTERCOLONIAL, including the COINAGE OF ALL FOREIGN NATIONS, in addition to all usual and customary Banking Business.

Overdrafts granted against deposit of Deeds, Bond Warrants, Free Goods, Bank and Gas Shares, and Scrip of any other Joint Stock Companies. Special facilities offered to Shipping Business.

Deposits received at 12 months, 7 per cent.; 6 months, 6 per cent.; and 3 months, 5 per cent.

Communications to be addressed to "The Managing Director."

Tenders.

ASPHALTING.—TENDER required. Apply to Mr. Cohen, Mossworth, opposite Strathfield station.

CARPENTERS.—Wanted, Tenders for Fixing Roof, Flooring, &c.; labour only. Metropolitan Hotel, 299, Pitt-st.

ESTATE OF D. AND W. ROBERTSON.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

TENDERS are invited for the Cartage of about 200 tons of Bridge-work from Blackwattle Works to Railway Station.

Particulars from

LANCELOT T. LLOYD, Official Assignee.

Denman-chambers, Phillip-street, Sydney.

LODE CREEK COMPANY.

Tenterfield, September 1, 1888.

TENDERS are invited up to noon on the 21st instant for the Purchase of the above Company's Tin-mining Property, comprising 400 acres of freehold, situated at Lode Creek, county of Bentinck, parish of Folkestone, Queensland.

A cheque for twenty-five per cent. of the amount offered to accompany each tender.

The highest tender not necessarily accepted.

CHARLES A. LEE, Managing Director.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.

TENDERS are invited for certain Painters' Work at the above Institution.

Specifications to be seen on application to the undersigned.

Tenders to be sent in not later than noon on THURSDAY, 6th September.

HENRY A. PODMORE, Secretary.

August 29, 1888.

TO PIT SINKERS and CONTRACTORS.

The Directors of the South Burwood Colliery, Newcastle, are prepared to receive TENDERS for the Sinking of a Main and an Outlet, or Air-shaft, on their property, contiguous to the new winning of the Ryhope Colliery. The shafts will be respectively 16ft. and 12ft. diameter inside the brickwork. Separate prices will be required from each tenderer for walling or securing the shafts (where required) with brickwork also, on the basis of the contractor supplying the sinking machinery and plant required for sinking and finishing the shafts. No tenders will be considered other than those of thoroughly competent and responsible parties, and who are prepared to enter into a bond for the completion of the work.

Specifications and any other information may be obtained on application at the office of Dr. ROBERTSON, 87, Pitt-street, Sydney, to whom tenders marked "Tenders for Sinking" must be delivered not later than Tuesday, the 11th September current.

WM. SHENSTONE, Secretary, 359, George-street, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 17th of September for the Erection of a Two-storey Brick Hotel at Inverell.

Plans and specifications may be seen and all particulars obtained up to WEDNESDAY, 12th September, on application to SYDNEY SMITH, Esq., Victoria-chambers, 85, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

THOS. MATHER, Roslyn, Inverell.

N.B.—The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for Additions to a Residence at Hunter's Hill.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders close on MONDAY, September 10, 1888.

Plans and specifications can be seen on application to—

DESPOINTES BROTHERS, Architects, 5, Wentworth-court, Elizabeth-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited till FRIDAY, 7th September, for Alterations and Additions to Residence of Dr. Hurst, Burlington-road, Homebush.

Plans and specifications at our offices.

ELLIS and SLATYER, Architects.

Equitable-chambers, 295, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received until noon on FRIDAY, 14th instant, for the Erection and Completion of Factory and Business Premises for Messrs. Barrett and Co., in Elizabeth-street.

BOLSTER and HOTSON, Architects, Civil Engineers, and Surveyors, Terry's-chambers, 86, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection and completion of two Residences in Francis-street. Plans and Specifications can be seen on application to the undersigned. Tenders must be delivered on or before THURSDAY, the 13th instant.

J. SMEDLEY, Architect, 263, George-street.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are invited until 4th October for the Erection and Completion of a Factory off Bay-street, Glebe.

Plans and specifications to be seen at the architects' office, 250, Pitt-street.

A. L. and G. M'CREDIE, Architects and Consulting Engineers.

TENDERS wanted Brickwork, labour only, of 2, 4, or 6 Houses, Edgecliffe-road, Woollahra. Plans and specifications on the ground.

JAMES S. HANNAN, Architect.

60, Hunter-street.

TENDERS are invited for the Erection of Cottage, labour and material, at Balmain. 1st. For excavation, stone, and brick work. 2nd. For carpentry and finishing trades. Or 3rd. for the whole in one sum.

THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, 96, Bathurst-street.

TENDERS will be received up till the 12th day of September from persons willing to Contract for the Building of a Brick House at Minto. For plans and specifications apply to P. and J. Sheruch, Minto.

TENDERS wanted for 120,000 Bricks, more or less, to be delivered Hillside, Milson's Point, St. Leonards. Apply with sample at the office Messrs. Drake and Walcot, architects, 109, Pitt-street. WM. PHILLIPS, Contractor, Balmain.

TO TENDERERS.—First-class Building Stone and Ballast for SALE, delivered to all parts of Sydney Harbour at moderate prices; orders promptly executed.

T. D. FLEW, Mosman's Bay.

TENDERS in writing will be received for the Purchase of six or more Iron Tanks.

J. M'INTYRE, A. J. Society, Moore Park.

TENDERS invited until SATURDAY, 15th instant, for Erection of House in Johnstone-street, Annandale. Plans and specification, &c., at the office of F. H. REUSS, Jun., Architect, 72, Pitt-street.

TENDERS will be required for Completion of Plastering Stores, Nicholson-street, Woolloomooloo, if E. W. Mawson does not proceed at once.

R. HARDY and SON.

TO IRONFOUNDERS.—TENDERS for Awning for Premises, 170 and 172, William-street; municipal design; lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Particulars on premises.

TO Masons and Bricklayers.—TENDERS wanted for Masonry and Brickwork of 5-roomed House, Pines Estate, Newtown, labour only. Plans and specifications at Mr. BOYD'S, Ermine-terrace, Wilson-street, Redfern.

TENDER.—Wanted, TENDER for Doming Tank at Mosman's Bay. J. Robb, R. Gray, Son, and Co., York-st.

TENDERS wanted for Plasterer's Work. Apply job, Terry-street, Balmain.

TENDERS wanted for Brickwork of six Houses, labour only. J. H. Beale, builder, Regent-street, Newtown.

TENDERS invited for 70,000 Bricks, delivered Cascade-street. W. Hedges, Goodhope-street, Paddington.

TENDERS wanted for Fencing; labour only. Apply below Coffee Palace, Rowntree-street, Balmain.

TENDERS wanted for Plastering House, Metropolitan-road, Enmore. H. J. Atkin.

TENDERS for Footings and Mason price, labour only. R. A. Bastard, Norton st., nr Town-hall, Leichhardt.

TO EXCAVATORS.—Wanted, TENDERS Excavating Cellar, Druitt Town. Scott and Bennett, Croydon.

TO PAINTERS.—Tenders wanted for Graining, close September 5. T. Richards, Cavendish-st., Stanmore.

DRAIN PIPES, all sizes; Junctions, Bends, &c., for SALE. Hart and Gallagher, Petersham.

BLUE METAL, all gauges, SCREENINGS, GRAVEL, and RISER SAND, at lowest prices. Emu Gravel and Road Metal Company, Limited, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

KIAMA (Bombo) BLUE METAL (all gauges), and Screenings, clean. 31, Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo.

BEST variety Centre Flowers and Building Decorations. Illustrated designs free. G. L. Cross, 5, Bond-st., city.

TO BUILDERS.—We are delivering our LIME at £1 16s per ton. Anchor, Gostling's, British Lion, and other brands Cement, Plaster, Laths, Hair, &c., at lowest prices. CULLEN BULLEN LIME CO., Limited, 347 and 349, Sussex-street.

ORNAMENTAL PLASTER and Cement Work, Brackets, Centre Flowers, &c., Figures, Fountains, and Mantelpieces. Large stock of new designs at the old well-known establishment, 755, Harris-street.

TENDERS.—SLATES, SLATES.—Purple Penrhyn Bangor, in stock and to arrive, all sizes, at lowest rates. KIRK and DICKINSON, Slaters and Slate Merchants, 401, Sussex-street.

WANTED to Purchase, a 2-ton Hand JIB-CRANE, in good order. State lowest cash price,

C. W. COULTON, Foveaux-street, Surry Hills.

ELECTRIC BELLS, Lightning Conductors fitted, &c., estimates given. Frost and Shipham, 367, 474, George-st.

ASPHALT.—The cheapest and best is laid by the Buffalo Asphalt Company. Office, 38, Market-street.

TUCKPOINTING.—TENDERS wanted for Tuckpointing. Apply job, Little Arthur street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, TENDERS for a Wrought-iron Hurdle Fence, to be erected at Victoria Park.

For specification apply to the overseer, Victoria Park, Newtown-road.

WANTED, TENDERS for Brickwork of two Cottages, labour only. Apply job, corner William and Emily streets, Leichhardt; also Labourer, to get out trenches.

WANTED, TENDERS Brickwork, labour only, Retreat-street, near Waterloo tram terminus.

Parliamentary Elections.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF REDFERN.

A Public MEETING of the Electors of the abovenamed Electorate will take place at the Town Hall, Redfern, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th September, at noon, for the Nomination of a Member to serve in Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in place of the late J. Farnell, Esq. If there be more than one nominated and a poll demanded,

The Polling will take place on SATURDAY, the 8th September, commencing at 8 a.m., closing at 4 p.m., at the

POLLING-PLACES—
Redfern Town Hall
Waterloo Town Hall
Alexandria Town Hall
Mechanics' Hall, Botany.

A Deposit of £40 in cash before nomination.

G. RENWICK, Returning Officer.

REDFERN ELECTION.

TO THE ELECTORS OF REDFERN.

Gentlemen,—

Having been urged by many of my fellow-electors to offer myself as a Candidate for the vacancy in your representation caused by the lamented death of Mr. J. S. Farnell, who, as you are aware, was my father-in-law, I have consented to place my services at your disposal, and am now a candidate.

If I should be so fortunate as to secure a majority of your votes, my steady object in Parliament will be to study your highest interests by supporting all such measures as in my judgment will tend most largely to promote the general prosperity.

I shall do nothing to impair or place restrictions upon those great principles of civil liberty which have been secured to all classes alike by the Constitution Act. I have always sympathised with the efforts of the Liberal party in this country, and I shall be guided in my public conduct by the teaching of such men as Sir Charles Cowper and John Dunmore Lang in the past, who did so much to found our free institutions on a solid basis.

I shall consistently uphold the Public school system, and resist all measures calculated to weaken its efficacy.

I declare myself uncompromisingly and without reserve to be a supporter of freedom in all matters, whether civil or religious; and I would no more surrender my liberty of industry than I would give up my liberty of conscience.

The intelligence of the United States of America has already revolted against the absurd idea that other men know better what industries we ought to follow than we know ourselves; and in that great democratic country the wild theories and the antediluvian prejudices of the protectionist creed are being shattered by the stern realities of faction corruption and monopoly, which always accompany efforts to establish a restrictive policy.

Victoria also offers us a warning. After twenty years of protection, during which many millions of pounds have been taken from the pockets of the farmers, miners, and other followers of native industries, in order to bolster up some unnatural manufactures, she exported less of her produce than she exported in the years of free trade. Thus, while in 1860 the exports from Victoria were valued at £12,962,704, and in 1885 at £15,551,758, in 1886 their value was only £11,795,321, showing a decline under protection of nearly four million pounds (£4,000,000) in one year. During the same period the exports from New South Wales under free trade increased from £5,072,020 in 1860 to £15,556,213 in 1886. These figures speak for themselves. They show that under our national and liberal policy the progress of our country has been rapid and enormous. They also show that the present inflation in Victoria is to a large extent fictitious, arising as it does from the importation of borrowed money, and other temporary and artificial causes.

At all times I shall give my support to endeavours to enforce economy in the expenses of Government.

I shall never lose sight of the welfare of the working classes, as I believe it to be identical with the sound prosperity of the colony. Entertaining these sentiments, I shall seek to promote unity of interest and not antagonism between classes, placing the common welfare above all other considerations.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN A. MARTIN.

Martinville, Botany, September 3, 1888.

REDFERN ELECTION.

Mr. J. A. MARTIN is a Candidate, and will address the electors THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, as follows:—

Town Hall, Redfern, 7.30 sharp
Man of Kent Hotel, Morehead and Redfern streets, 9 sharp.

Several influential gentlemen will address each meeting.

For particulars as to future meetings see daily papers.

W. F. CORBETT, E. GOSNELL, Joint Hon. Secs.

REDFERN ELECTION.

Alderman J. P. HOWE will ADDRESS the ELECTORS as follows:—

TUESDAY, at 7.30 p.m.	Cleveland Hotel, Bourke and Cleveland streets, Redfern.
TUESDAY, at 8.30 p.m.	Kettle's Hotel, Elizabeth-street.
WEDNESDAY, at 7.30 p.m.	Galway Castle Hotel, Abercrombie-street, Golden Grove.
WEDNESDAY, at 8.30 p.m.	Eveleigh Hotel, Abercrombie and Vine streets, Redfern.
THURSDAY, at 7.30 p.m.	Iron Duke Hotel, Botany-road, Waterloo.
THURSDAY, at 8.30 p.m.	Currie's Half-way House Hotel, Botany-road.
FRIDAY, September 7, at 8 p.m.	Town Hall, Redfern.

J. BUTTERFIELD, E. M. WALSH, Hon. Secretaries.

REDFERN ELECTION.

Alderman J. P. HOWE will address the electors at the Cleveland Hotel, Bourke and Cleveland streets, Redfern, at 7.30, and at Kettle's Hotel, Elizabeth-street, at 8.30, THIS EVENING.

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REDFERN ELECTION.

Alderman J. P. HOWE'S Committees will meet as follows:—

1. Redfern Executive meet at Town Hall, Redfern, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 5, at 8 o'clock, to make final arrangements.

T. M. WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

2. Waterloo Executive meet at Town Hall, Redfern, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 5, at 8 o'clock, to make final arrangements.

J. W. SPICER, Chairman.

3. Alexandria Executive meet at Town Hall, Redfern, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 5, at 8 o'clock, to make final arrangements.

J. R. DACEY, Chairman.

4. Botany Executive meet at Waterworks Hotel on TUESDAY EVENING, September 4, at 8 o'clock, to make final arrangements.

CHARLES SWINBOURNE, Chairman.

5. North Botany Executive meet at Thornton's Halfway House Hotel on WEDNESDAY EVENING, September 5, at 8 o'clock, to make final arrangements.

JAMES COWARD, Chairman.

A FINAL MEETING of the whole of the above Committees will be held in the Town Hall, Redfern, on THURSDAY EVENING, September 6, at 8 o'clock, to report progress.

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THE GROWTH AND POSSIBILITIES OF THE ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

(*Money, July* 25.)

None of the semi-developed countries of the world have attracted of late years equal attention to the federation of states in South America styled the Argentine Republic. With territorial possessions nearly approaching the size of the United States, the present weakness of the State consists in the smallness of its population, which does not exceed 4,000,000, all told. The climate is peculiarly well suited to European settlers, being neither too hot nor too cold, but almost uniformly healthy, though varying in different parts. With abundance of fertile soil, all kinds of cereals and fruit grow to perfection, and cattle may be reared to almost any extent. The Republic has 1500 miles of sea-coast, besides 1000 miles of river navigation for small seafaring vessels, and a railway net of which 6600 kilometres are now open for traffic. It is known to possess rich deposits of gold, silver, copper, coal and marble, as well as powerful petroleum springs, all of which only wait for capital, hands, and transport facilities in order to become a source of wealth. The want of working men is, however, keenly felt in all directions, wages ruling, consequently, very high both for artisans and domestic servants, as also for agricultural labourers, who earn as much as 12s. a day (currency) during the harvest time.

Already this new country has, like older communities, a land difficulty of its own, the mistake having been made in former times to hand over very large estates—some as extensive as Belgium—of the most fertile and best situated land to single persons, who now prefer letting their acres instead of selling out. Thus the most desirable parts in the neighbourhood of Buenos Ayres are not available for extending the capital or for industrial enterprise, a circumstance which prevents immigrants from settling and founding new villages and towns. As a consequence, those new-comers who arrive for colonising purposes are obliged to penetrate far into the wilderness of the interior, whereas the surroundings of the populous cities are left to the cattle. Nevertheless, well-planned colonies in the outlying provinces have paid well—as for example, Olavarria, where a number of Russians and Germans acquired large tracts of lands in 1887, at the price of about 3s. 3d. per acre, payable by instalments extended over eight years. The property is now producing 45½ million kilogrammes of cereals a year, and its owners have accumulated large sums of ready money, deposited in the banks, and simultaneously improved the value of their holdings to such a degree that even those parts which are farthest removed from a railway station fetch £4 an acre. The want of population is so great that the Government holds out every possible encouragement to immigrants, and has established special offices in the principal European cities where information may be obtained. Already the influx has attained considerable proportions, the number of immigrants having risen from 80,000 persons during the decade 1857-1866 to 299,000 persons during the decade 1867-1876, and 617,000 persons during the decade 1877-1886, the figures for 1885 being 108,000; for 1886, 93,000; and for 1887, 120,000. The Latin nations make up 85 per cent. of this total (Italy alone 62 per cent.), whereas Northern Europe supplies only a small contingent, the total representing about 9 per cent., including (for 1886) 637 Germans, 479 Belgians, and very few Englishmen. As to agricultural pursuits, it is estimated that there are at present 20 million head of cattle, 85 million sheep, and 6 million horses. The value of Argentine cattle is, however, very low, the meat being inferior on account of the unsuitable means employed in fattening the animals. Sheep produce yields the most important revenue, but still by far less than the numbers, soil, and climate are capable of, because insufficient care is taken of the herds. The progress of agriculture is, however, the most remarkable sign of the country's development, as the following expert figures show:—

—	1887.	1885.	1886.	1887.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Wheat, maize, and linseed	213	334,000	306,000	632,700
Preserved meat	33,000	32,000	37,000	15,000
Hides	2,500	2,700	2,500	3,000
Sheepskins	28,000	31,000	35,000	25,000
Wool	8,700	128,000	132,000	123,500
Frozen mutton	—	2,800	7,300	10,700

The 6600 kilometres railway lines were constructed at a cost of, say, 170 million pesos gold (£34,000,000), and earned in 1887; gross 26 million and net 12,200,000 pesos—rather a satisfactory result, particularly because the service is still very inadequate. Every effort is now made to extend the railway net in all directions, but the general fear is now that these extensions are proceeded with at a rate much in excess of the country's capabilities and exigencies. The foreign trade is naturally expanding, and the Custom-house of Buenos Ayres had last month (June) the largest takings on record, viz., 3½ million pesos (nominally £700,000). The import has risen from 40 million pesos in 1887 to 95 million in 1886, and 122 million last year, the latter figure including, however, 11,120,000 pesos gold and 280,000 pesos silver. The import trade is nevertheless greatly hampered by excessive duties, or it might have increased much more than by the 100 per cent. it has gained since 1877.

Though on the one hand the development of the Republic is quite evident, the progress is, on the other hand, accompanied by a large national debt, which is, at least for the present, out of proportion to the foreign trade figures and to the population. How unmanageable the combined liabilities of the Government, the provinces, and public companies, &c., are, is clearly shown by the depreciation of the forced paper currency, which has moreover a tendency to decline still further in value. A gold premium of 54 per cent., or thereabout, is the most serious hindrance for the sound conduct of Argentine finance, and should induce the authorities to use every means to re-instate the notes into their former position. The financial experts of Buenos Ayres follow, however, a different policy, and apparently do not care much what the state of gold is in the market. The most hazardous schemes are freely engaged in entailing ever-increasing indebtedness to Europe, and consequently the necessity of providing still more gold remittances. Such a condition of affairs cannot but be fraught with grave danger, whatever the natural resources of a country may be. Amongst many other things, the construction of a new harbour at Buenos Ayres at a cost of £4,000,000, and the progress of the direct railway line to Valparaiso, deserve special notice. This railroad is now completed up to the foot of the Andes, the cutting of which mountains is expected to require three years. When finished a direct railway will thus run between Buenos Ayres on the Atlantic side and Valparaiso on the Pacific side of South America, an event which, it is anticipated, will contribute towards vastly increasing the importance, trade, and wealth of the capital, which will be transformed thereby into a port for a large part of the West Coast. The steamer journey from Buenos Ayres to Valparaiso is now accomplished in 14 days, whereas the railway will not only reduce the distance to three days, but will at the same save the danger and inconvenience of the Strait of Magellan. This circumstance must, it is believed, double the trade of the Buenos Ayres port, because the transport by railway will be cheaper than by water, and will also shorten the distance from Chili to Europe by quite 10 days. Let us trust that the Argentines may be more fortunate than the milkmaid who broke her eggs whilst anticipating the fortune she was basing upon their sale in the market.

THE UNIVERSITY GROUNDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The University authorities have let the use of their large paddocks to some cow-owners for pasturage purposes. There is nothing wrong in doing so, but last week, at the solicitation of the lessees, the authorities urged the Superintendent of Police to prosecute every person found on the grounds. So a policeman has been stationed on the park to warn intruders off, and on Sunday morning an independent citizen felt himself affronted when peremptorily ordered to move on. It is a very spiteful and dog-in-the-manger spirit for the University magnates, who cannot use a quarter of the ground allowed them by the public, to pursue towards the donors of the land. They complain that the grass is trampled down, and the lessees therefore do not get the worth of their money. The big suburbs of Darlington, Newtown, and portions of Redfern are by this means deprived of any recreation ground. The reason is feeble, and it is not at all right that such a large piece of land, when not immediately needed by the University students, should be turned into a cow-walk, to the exclusion of many thousands of citizens. The arbitrariness of the titled Dons is most severely felt by the juvenile members of the community, who are prevented from cricketing and engaging in other harmless, but necessary exercises. The land is a public grant, and the ungrateful executors, by the steps they have taken, have shown a spirit that is, indeed, reprehensible in men laying claim to enlightenment. I am, &c.,

CORNSTALK.

THE FISH MARKET AND FISHERMEN'S GRIEVANCES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your intelligent correspondent, "Wolomai," and the petition just presented to the City Council, have again drawn attention to the unsatisfactory state of affairs at the Fish Market. The fishermen's chief complaint is that they have to pay 10 per cent. off the proceeds of their fish, viz., 5 per cent. to market for selling and inspection, and 5 per cent. to an agent for collecting their money. The complaint is a reasonable one, 10 per cent. is too much, and there is no real reason why the auctioneer should not be responsible for the proceeds, and hand them over less 5 per cent. I respectfully suggest the following changes in carrying on the business at market:—1. That there be at least two sales each day. 2. That the auctioneer or his assistant (the latter should have charge of the market) should give the fishermen receipts for the fish sent in; be responsible for their safe custody; and after sale hand over the proceeds, less 5 per cent. If these suggestions are adopted the public will have better chance of getting fish at fair rates, and the fishermen will have little to complain of. I am, &c.,

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MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS.

The eighth and last part of the Statistical Register for the year 1887, under the general heading "Miscellaneous," has just been issued from the Government Printing Office. In meteorology are recorded the observations taken at Sydney during the year; the readings of the earth thermometer; average readings of maximum and minimum thermometers; and observations taken at the different stations throughout the colony. A table of publicans' licenses shows that during the year 3270 were granted in the whole of the colony, of which 846 were in the metropolitan district. The next set of tables shows the numbers and distribution of the military and volunteer forces throughout the colony. The New South Wales Artillery numbered 397 in all; volunteers (partially paid), 2740; and reserves, 2352; making a grand total of 5489. Besides these there were 342 men in the Naval Brigade, and 221 in the Naval Artillery Volunteers. Our artillery guns of all calibres numbered 181; we had 247,000 rounds of ammunition, and the shot and shell in stock weighed 1492 tons 2cwt. The next table shows that during the year in the city and suburbs there were 281 fire alarms, of which 207 represented fires more or less serious, while 14 were entirely false alarms, and the remainder were mere chimney fires, mostly put out with hand-pumps only. The total amount of risks held by the fire insurance companies in Sydney and the suburbs for the year was £40,209,395. In the year 1884 the amount so held at risk was only £36,690,987. The tables next in order contain particulars of the number of registrations in literature, fine art, and designs, effected in the Copyright Registry Office between July, 1879, and December 31, 1887. Then follows a classified return of letters of registration granted for inventions during last year. There were 108 inventions, in respect to which there were granted 137 letters of registration, and 408 certificates and letters patent. Altogether, from the year 1855 to the end of 1887 2142 patents and assignments had been registered in the colony. A return of the rateable property in the municipalities of the colony shows that for the year 1887 the annual value of such property was computed at £6,336,021, and the capital value at £105,804,168. Of this amount the city of Sydney is credited with annual value £1,836,253, and capital value £42,529,525; the suburban municipalities with annual value £2,447,854, and capital value £35,536,209; and the country municipalities annual value £1,951,914, and capital value £27,738,434. Statistics are next given showing particulars of the receipts and expenditure of the various municipalities throughout the colony. Altogether there were 58,732 voters on the municipal rolls of the colony, and no less than 501 aldermen in all. A list of the dredges and tugs belonging to the colony shows that there were 23 of the former, and 17 of the latter. The total area of the colony, according to table 28, is 195,882,150 acres, of which 22,372,072 acres were alienated up to the end of last year, leaving 173,510,078 acres yet to be dealt with. The land granted for religious and public purposes during last year was 1457 acres in the settled districts, and 3919 acres in the other parts. 232,906 acres of land, of the value of £407,228, were sold otherwise than conditionally during the year. In 1877 the area so sold was 2,150,759 acres, of the value of £2,196,922. During last year 4769 applications were made for conditional purchase, covering 793,004 acres, on which deposits were made amounting to £82,663. Of these applications 4478 were allowed, representing 723,150 acres. There were also 7440 transfers of land intimated to the Treasury in connection with an area of 2,159,428 acres: 851 conditional purchases, representing 160,900 acres, were declared void and forfeited; and in 93 cases, or 9622 acres, the voidances were reversed. Altogether, from 1862 to the end of 1887, there had been 207,449 selections, equal to 26,266,860 acres. The sum of £2,728,748 had been paid for interest, and the total sum realised was £12,464,969. During the year 1887 there were 5383 annual leases in force, representing 3,720,947 acres, the rent of which was £48,115. The conditional leases were 6872 in number, covering 4,802,801 acres, the rent amounting to £53,492. There were 1598 pastoral leases, the area of which was 104,578 square miles, and the rent £446,577; occupation leases were 1472 in number, equal to 94,042 acres, with a rental of £269,920; the number of homestead leases was 302, covering 4582 acres, the rental being £20,893. The total amount of revenue derived from lands and goldfields in 1887 was £1,205,867 under the Lands Alienation Act of 1861 and the Lands Act of 1884; under the Occupation Act the revenue was £809,249; under the Goldfields Act the sum of £44,723 was received, and there were miscellaneous receipts amounting to £35,271, making a general total of £2,095,212. During the year the sum of £1,573,467 was expended on our railways, and £58,160 on our tramways. The total amount spent on these works from their inception to the end of the year was:—Railways, £26,542,612; tramways, £917,995. The amount expended on telegraphs during the year was £18,156; on roads and bridges, £729,597. The expenditure in the sewerage branch for the year was £125,116; for harbours and rivers, £606,743; and for public buildings, £226,641. On the Sydney sewers the sum expended during 1887 was £39,173; on the Sydney water supply, £78,770. The total number of electors on the roll for the year was 270,394. 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6 " 6 "
12 " 7 "

and a Bonus declared to depositors of 12 months, 2 per cent.; 6 months, 1½ per cent.

Arrangements can be made to withdraw deposits at any time on demand. Drafts and Cheques to be crossed to the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors, RUSSELL MARSHALL, Manager.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

LOANS ON MORTGAGE AND MUNICIPAL RATES.

Loans on Mortgage of Freehold or Leasehold Properties are granted, payable at the end of a fixed term of years, or redeemable by instalments, including principal and interest, under the Society's Table F.

Advances are also made on the Security of Municipal Rates.

Forms of application, and tables of repayment, obtainable at the Head Office of the Society, 87, Pitt-street, Sydney, or at any of the District Offices.

By order of the Board. RICHARD TEECE, Secretary.

THE REAL AND PERSONAL MORTGAGE AND ADVANCE COMPANY.
FIRST FLOOR, 16, OXFORD-STREET, opposite Mark Foy's. Office Hours, daily, 9 to 5; Monday Evenings, 7 to 9.
The abovenamed Company make immediate CASH ADVANCES on the following low scale of interest:—

Persons borrowing £10 receive £9 6 8
" " £20 receive 18 13 4
" " £30 receive 28 0 0
" " £40 receive 37 6 8
" " £50 receive 46 13 4

And in proportion to any amount required.

ADVANCES MADE on ANY TANGIBLE SECURITY.

ADVANCES made on all classes of Security.
BILLS DISCOUNTED
BUSINESS of every kind financed
ASSETS Interests under Wills, and Mortgages purchased
GUARANTEES and Administration Bonds given
DEPOSITS Taken.
ASSETS REALIZATION and GENERAL FINANCE CO., Limited.
J. ROBERTS, Secretary.
6, Spring-street.

MONEY ADVANCED on the shortest notice on FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES, BILLS of SALE on Furniture, Stock-in-trade, &c., &c., and any other approved of securities.

REPAYMENTS arranged to suit the borrower's convenience. BILLS discounted daily at lowest rates of interest. Business transacted without delay, and held strictly private.

COHEN and BORNSTEIN, 299, Pitt-st., 2 doors from Park-st., op. Criterion Theatre.

DEPOSITS. The SYDNEY REAL ESTATE BANK, Limited, receive DEPOSITS at the following rates:—
3 MONTHS, 4 PER CENT.
6 MONTHS, 5 PER CENT.
12 MONTHS, 6 PER CENT.

108, PITT-STREET. LOUIS C. HENDERSON, Manager.

THE Advertiser, having a considerable Capital at his disposal, is prepared to make immediate CASH ADVANCES at an extremely LOW RATE OF INTEREST, on all descriptions of Securities, without the necessity of a Bill of Sale or any publicity whatever.

Loans may be repaid as under:—
Loan of £100, repayable by monthly instalments of £2 5s.
Loan of £50, repayable by monthly instalments of £1 10s.
Loan of £20, repayable by monthly instalments of £1.
Loan of £10, repayable by monthly instalments of 10s.
All communications strictly private.
Confidence, Box 293, General Post Office.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK, 109, ELIZABETH-STREET (next High School), OLDEST and most RELIABLE office in the Colonies, IMMEDIATE ADVANCES on Bills of Sale, Pro. Notes, Deposit of Deeds, &c., &c., at MODERATE rates and WITHOUT delay. Specialty. BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY. UTMOST CONFIDENCE can be RELIED upon. Address—THE MANAGER. Office hours—9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays 6 to 8 p.m.

MONEY to LEND on the security of approved Freehold and Station Properties, at lowest current rates. H. E. RUSSELL, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

MONEY to LEND on Mortgage of City and Suburban Property. Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society, Limited, 263, George-street.

TRUST MONEY.—£3000, and other sums, to LEND on Mortgage of Freehold or long Leaseholds, city or suburbs, without commission. RUSSELL and SONS, Solicitors, 359, George-street.

PROPERTIES released from Building Societies. Building Loans advanced. £50,000 to Lend, in sums to suit borrowers, on all classes of security. J. E. HANDCOCK, 11, Pomeroy-chambers, 39, Castlereagh-street.

MONEY to LEND on the security of approved Freehold and Station Properties, at lowest current rates. H. E. RUSSELL, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

TRUST FUNDS, £250 to £30,000, to LEND on mortgage of City or Suburban Property, at current rates. C. A. LAURENCE, Solicitor and Notary, 12, Spring-street.

MONEY to LEND on city and suburban properties, from 5 to 7 per cent. Advances made upon mining scrip for short period. Bills discounted at moderate rates. J. M. GREIG and CO., 3, Beaumont's-chambers, 90, King-street.

MONEY to be LENT on mortgage of freehold property. JOHN B. C. MILES, Accountant, Auditor, &c., United-chambers, corner of George and Hunter streets.

EXCELSIOR Land, Investment, and Building Company's Shares for Sale. Richardson and Wrench, 98, Pitt-st.

BROKEN HILLS, Centrals, Souths, Rounds, Bank, Gas, Trustees, bought. Wilder Griffiths, Collins-st., Melb.

MONEY Advanced from £5 upwards. The Queen's Loan Co., 135, Bathurst-st., between Pitt and C'reagh sts.

TRUST FUNDS, for investment upon mortgage. Cope and King, solicitors, 139, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TRUST MONEY to LEND on Mortgage. Apply Thomas Read, solicitor, 133, King-street.

NORTHERN Assurance Co.—Money to Lend upon approved freehold security. M. Montgomery, 80A, Pitt-st.

Miscellaneous.

MR. BIDDLE, 135, George-st. West, gives the highest price Ladies or Gent.'s Left-off Clothing. Letters.

PORTER CASES and CASKS wanted, early. Hardman Brothers, Biscuit Factory, Newtown.

PRINTING FRAME, also WOODEN DISH wanted, size about 52 x 31. Address Architect, Box 241, G. P. O.

WANTED, 10 Tons ZINC, best price given. Macgregor, Harris, and Co., 266, George-street.

WANTED, good second-hand Garden ROLLER, suitable for farm. State price, Farm, Herald Office.

FLEURS FARMS, £12 per acre. CAMPBELL, MITCHELL, and CO., 417, George-street.

WANTED to Purchase, some Garden LOAM. F. Webster, A. J. Society.

WANTED, British Black-red Game COCK; new style. Address Spurs, Post-office, Croydon.

WANTED, full-size BILLIARD-TABLE, fittings complete, second-hand. Price, J. Norton, 53, Hunter-st.

WANTED, CAT and KITTENS, good ratter. 617, Harris-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, pair of Steel SKATES, size 9½in. State lowest price to Cash, Post-office, Newtown.

WANTED to Purchase, sound second-hand HOGSHEADS and QUARTER-CASKS. State price to Buyer, Box 75, G. P. O.

WANTED, WIRE ROPE, two lengths, 350ft. each, 5-8 diameter. T. J. Robinson, Orange.

Auction Sales.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised, and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.

Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.

LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate, and best of forage.

RACING PONY, NIMBLE, and PAIR BUGGY PONIES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by Auction at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

NIMBLE, bay pony gelding, under 13 hands, broken to saddle and harness, only raced once.

Pair of bay ponies, 14 hands, well matched, broken to saddle, single and double harness, tram trial.

HORSE, VICTORIA, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. P. Hordern to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,

A grey gelding, quiet in saddle and harness, and used to tram; also elegant Victoria and harness, making a very superior turnout.

COW and CALF.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by Auction at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

A fresh country cow, with calf at foot, a good milker, and used to hand-feeding.

CENTERFIELD.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. T. Stewart, jun., to sell by Auction at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

CENTERFIELD, thoroughbred brown gelding, 5 years.

He started twice at Canterbury, and is very fast.

MILK COW, with CALF.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by Auction at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

A young cow and calf, good milker, very quiet, and will eat any kind of feed.

HORSE, VILLAGE CART, AND HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from — Ireland, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

Bay gelding, broken to saddle and harness, stands tram
Village cart and harness, in good order.

TURNOUTS. TURNOUTS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

Several useful turnouts.

BUGGY HORSE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. D. B. Harrison to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

Bay gelding, broken to saddle and single and double harness, stand tram, and is a beautiful buggy horse.

HORSE, VAN, and HARNESS.

HORSE, PAGNEL CART, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

The above, both good turnouts.

HOODED ABBOTT BUGGY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,

A good second-hand hooded Abbott buggy. Without reserve.

N. S. W. CYCLISTS' UNION SPORTS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary Association Cricket Ground to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next, the 10th instant, at 12 o'clock,

The right to the booths, &c., upon the ground for above sports, to be held on 15th September.

IMPORTANT SALE at FENNELLY'S BAZAAR, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, SEPTEMBER 4, at half-past 2 o'clock.

T. S. CLIBBORN, in conjunction with W. Garling, have received instructions from Mr. L. Markey, to sell by auction,

The well-known grey horse ROUSER.

Rouser is a handsome grey horse, 16 hands high, by the renowned Messenger (sire of The Lad, &c.) from Kate O'Shane, by Caledon (imp.) Kate O'Shane, from Laura by Emigrant (imp.), out of a daughter of Spacwife by Skeleton (imp.)

This horse is admirably adapted for getting racehorses, steeplechasers, hunter's hacks, or carriage horses. He has a record of having jumped 39ft. over a hurdle at the North Canterbury races, and is the sire of Mexico, winner of the Hunt Club Cup.

EXPRESS (first-class jumper), Chestnut mare, 6 years, by Hibernian from Cigarette (winner of hurdle and flat races). A first-class ladies' hack, took first prize at the Courtney Show, the only time exhibited. This mare has been regularly hunted by ladies.

LAVERNA. Bay mare, 5 years, by Python from La Vandetta, by Malton (imp.) out of Judy Sprit, by Peter Flat (imp.) from Jessie (sister to Sampson). A first-class ladies' hack and has been regularly hunted.

WRANGLER. Winner of several Hurdle Races and Maiden Steeplechase in New Zealand last year.

Black gelding, by Wrangler (winner of Christchurch Derby) by Traducer. This horse is a first-class hack and hunter, and goes well in harness.

Also, A pair of grey buggy ponies, 5 years old, by The Nana (Arab) from Arab mares. The ponies are well bred and matched, and took first prizes as pairs at Ashburton and Christchurch Shows.

T. S. CLIBBORN, 165, King-street.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.

THIS DAY, at half-past 10 a.m. sharp.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness
Draught horses, tip drays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings, well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses.

BROWN GELDING, DOUBLE-SEATED BUGGY, and HARNESS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

Brown gelding, thoroughly broken to harness, stands tram
Double-seated buggy and harness, a first-class turn-out.

TWO-HORSE HAWKER'S WAGGON, IN SPLENDID ORDER.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. A. LOWRY to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

Two-horse hawker's waggon, in first-class order, only parted with owing to owner giving up the hawking business.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 4th instant.

10 EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT HORSES (broken and unbroken) from SHOALHAVEN.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. P. MANNING, Berellan, Shoalhaven, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, Tuesday, September 4 instant, at 2.30 p.m.,

10 EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT HORSES, broken and unbroken, worthy the special attention of brewers, heavy carriers, draymen, and others, as they are described by Mr. Manning as the best lot he has ever sent to Sydney.

Also, one splendid bay gelding, 4 years old, 16 hands, broken to saddle and harness.

15 SUPERIOR DRAUGHT HORSES, DIRECT FROM THE BREEDER.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th INSTANT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from R. ROUSE, Esq., GUNTAWANG, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, September 4, at half-past 2 o'clock,

15 superior draught horses, by the imported Clydesdale stallion Young Blane, 3 and 4 years old. Amongst the lot are three broken-in horses, stanch workers.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, at 2.30 p.m.,

10 useful saddle and harness horses, at the risk of the former purchaser.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

40 REALLY FIRST-CLASS HORSES. DIRECT FROM THE BREEDER.

Mr. J. B. CLIFT, BREEZA.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from J. B. CLIFT, BREEZA, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on an early date,

40 REALLY FIRST-CLASS HORSES, consisting of extra heavy draught colts and fillies, and upstanding well-bred horses, suitable for carriage, buggy, and general light harness work.

FULL PARTICULARS FUTURE ISSUE.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

AT CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

THIS DAY.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from their Southern agents, to sell by auction THIS DAY, at Camperdown, at half-past 2 o'clock,

15 superior heavy draught colts, by England's Glory, Pride of the West, and Conqueror, out of Champion and Hawthornden mares
10 upstanding active harness horses.

The above are described as being a grand lot, possessing plenty of size and quality, good ages, and in splendid condition.

50 FRESH COUNTRY HORSES.

AT CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

On THURSDAY NEXT, 6th SEPTEMBER.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. Hinds and Hobbs to sell by auction, at Camperdown Yards, on THURSDAY Next, at half-past 2 o'clock,

50 well-bred upstanding colts, 4 and 5 years old, comprising heavy draught, active heavy harness, also 'bus, cab, and stylish light horses.

The above have been selected by competent judges from the best studs in the Northern Districts, and reported to be the best lot offered in this market for a considerable time, and well worthy of the attention of purchasers requiring A1 stock.

AMERICAN HARNESS, BREASTPLATE, and COLLAR. THE EUREKA (Emery and Dwights).

W. GARLING will sell by auction, at his Bazaar (late Fennelly's), THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,

30 sets of Eureka harness (Emery and Dwights), collar, and breastplate, samples of which are on view at the room known as Cobb and Co.'s.

This harness is strong and neat, and suitable to all classes of buyers.

THE CITY and COUNTY'S ESTATE at Kogarah for Private SALE. Plans and prices Garrard and Hamilton.

FENNELLY'S BAZAAR.

Sale of BLOOD STOCK, Carriage Horses, Ponies, Hacks, Trotters, and Vehicles.

THIS DAY, Tuesday.

W. GARLING will hold a Sale of Blood Stock, Carriage Horses, Ponies, Hacks, Trotters and Vehicles, at his Bazaar (late Fennelly's), THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock.

Mr. H. M. M'Quade, Windsor.
DULCIMER and SONGSTRESS, a carriage pair, bays, 16 hands, high steppers, and very powerful.

SARDONYX, brown gelding, 4 years, by Boccaccio (imp.—American) from Sweetbriar, broken quietly to single harness, a good goer, with promise of great pace.

DOLLY GREY, white mare, very fast, and a nice mare to drive.

HARNESS PONIES:
DE VIGNE, brown pony, by Uncle Tom
DIGGER, ditto ditto
and
IVO BLIGH, the well-known handsome trotting pony.

For Mr. Geo. Wilson.
A pair of remarkably fine cream-coloured geldings, 4 and 5 years old, got by Farhan and Penrith respectively, broken to saddle and harness, and accustomed to run together.

BEAUTY BOY, a very stylish grey gelding, broken to saddle and harness, used to working a dogcart. This horse was bred by Mr. Thos. Cook, of Turonville, and is by Trickett from a Julian Avenel mare.

JURYMAN, a brown gelding, broken to saddle and harness, and a particularly good hack for a lady.

MERCHANT, a chestnut gelding, broken to saddle and single and double harness.

For Mr. Vincent Dowling, Lue.
An exceptionally handsome dark bay gelding, by Childe Harold (imp.), 4 years old, broken to harness, possessing great style and action, and tractable at wheel or in lead of four-in-hand.

For Mr. De Satgé.
An English-built landau, by Thorne, of London, in good order; also,
A set of double harness.
This landau is one of the most fashionable and lightest built, Gentlemen requiring one will do well to attend the sale.

For Mr. Rowe.
A pair of handsome bay geldings, broken to saddle and harness, and suitable for a victoria.

For W. L. Davis.
One imported Oppenheim buggy, by Gooderich, of New York.

For Mr. A. G. Mansfield.
A pair of upstanding bay carriage horses, broken to saddle and harness, and quiet.

For Mr. C. B. Fairfax.
His well-known bay gelding Beach, by Marquis of Cleveland from Vanity, by Hopping Joe; broken to single and double harness, a first-class hack, and winner of several prizes in various show rings.

For Mr. M. Kane.
A well-built cutunder buggy, lined throughout with leather, and in first-class order.

For Mr. Chapman.
A fine upstanding chestnut gelding, broken to saddle and harness, and suitable for brougham or victoria.

For Mr. F. W. Holden.
A pair of brown ponies, broken to single and double harness and saddle, quiet, and stands tram.

For the Owner.
A well-built waggonette, by Ellis, of New York.

For Mr. G. T. Riley.
A pair of Remarkably fine chestnut geldings, thoroughly broken and well matched, one being his well-known horse Foxhunter.

For Mr. J. W. Lawrence.
A set of English-made double harness, with nickel silver mountings, in good order.

BLOOD STOCK.

For Geo. Wilson.
A black filly, 2 years, by Idalium (full brother to Sir Modred) from Rosia, by Maribyrnong from Red Rose, dam of Prairie Rose and Gloire de Dijon, &c.

This filly has never been ridden, but has been quietly handled since a yearling.

For Mr. F. Clissold.
LADY LOVELL, by the Drummer from Paradigm, &c.
Full pedigree and performances at sale.

For Mr. Rowe.
The hurdle horse Morley.

For the Owners.
Au Revoir, a bay horse, by Captivator from Adieu (imp.), by Blair Athol
Yarragon, a chestnut horse, by St. Albans from Faultless, by Peter Wilkins.
Further particulars at sale.
Mawollock, a chestnut gelding, a good jumper, and winner of several hurdle races
Capecure, br g, 4 years (half brother to Balara), by Marvellous from Zenta (own sister to Aristocrat). A good jumper, and in full training
Eros, a ch g, 5 years, by Middlesex from Steam Packet Maid, by Trump Card
Polestar, b h, by Warlike from Borealis, by Middlesex
Melanion, ch h, 5 years, by Hawthornden from Atalanta, by Kelpie.

Intending Purchasers will please note that the Stallion and Blood Stock will be offered for sale first.

THIS DAY.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,
Heavy draught horses, subject to trial
Active van horses, subject to trial
Light harness horses and hackneys.
Trials given.

Ex WAIHORA.

To Heavy Carriers, Contractors, and others.

HEAVY DRAUGHT HORSES and MARES
PONY STALLION and MARES
AYRSHIRE COWS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. R. Clarke, of Ashburton, New Zealand, to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 11.30 a.m.,
15 HEAD EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDINGS, INCLUDING PRIZETAKERS
6 DITTO DITTO DRAUGHT MARES
Pony stallion and 4 mares
5 Ayrshire cows, 2 in milk.

N.B.—Mr. Clarke is not a DEALER but a BREEDER of FIRST-CLASS HORSES and CATTLE, and has with him 16 first prize medals and certificates from various societies in Canterbury and Otago, N. Z.

ACTIVE VAN HORSE.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. Boylson and Sons to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.,

BAY GELDING, 16 hands high, very active and reliable in harness.

Only sold on account of owners having no further use for him.

TO PRIVATE FAMILIES, DAIRYMEN, and OTHERS.

MILCH COWS. MILCH COWS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the several owners to sell by auction, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, at 11 a.m.,

15 QUIET MILCH COWS, IN FULL MILK, FROM THE HUNTER AND SOUTH COAST.

PEDIGREE AYRSHIRE COWS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. R. Clark, of Ashburton, Canterbury, N. Z., to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11.30 a.m.,

4 pedigree Ayrshire cows.
The above include a noted prize-taker, Maggie Warnock, the winner of a number of prizes at different shows.

TO STUD MASTERS.

BLOOD STALLIONS. COACHING STALLION.

FOR PRIVATE SALE.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from owners to sell PRIVATELY,
The IMPORTED BLOOD STALLION, THE TESTOR
COLONIAL-BRED STALLION, FIELDFARE
COACHING STALLION, by DUKE of CLEVELAND.

Now on View.

A NUMBER of VALUABLE STUD HORSES on our list for Private Sale.

Particulars on application.

SEAFORTH PROCTER will sell by auction, THIS DAY, At Newtown Station, at 7 o'clock, firewood.
At Darling Harbour Terminus, at 8 o'clock, firewood.
At his Mart, 741, George-street, at 3 o'clock,
Turkeys, geese, ducks, fowls, Bathurst hares
Roll and keg butter, 100 cases eggs, bacon, and sundries.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, and Dealers.

SEAFORTH PROCTER has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Mart, 741, George street, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,

Stock-in-Trade of a Grocer, comprising,
Teas in half-chests and boxes, sugars
Sardines, herrings, lobsters, Cove oysters
Jams, condensed milk, honey, and treacle
Rice, sago, tapioca, oatmeal
Paper bags, scales, weights, and sundries.
Removed to Mart for convenience of sale.

To Builders, Contractors, and Others.

LENEHAN and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, September 5, at 11 o'clock,

The flooring of the Pitt-street Skating Rink, only laid a few months, at corner of Pitt and Goulburn streets, a grand lot building materials, consisting of 10,000ft. 1½in. T. and G. Flooring, 10,000ft. joisting up to 24ft. long, 5000ft. scantling 4 x 2½, 3600 pine battens, 300 sheets C. galvanised iron, all lengths.

The flooring, joisting, and scantling are equal to new, and taken up carefully. Terms, cash. No reserve, as every lot must be sold.

LENEHAN and CO., 41, Goulburn and George streets.

AUCTION SALE of Butcher's Business and Plant, corner Redfern and Walker sts., Redfern, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, 4-h.p. engine, sausage-machine, springcarts, splendid buggy mare, &c. See to-morrow's auction column.

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Auction Sales.

T. COSGROVE will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, 706, George-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
On account of H. Thompson, Esq., handsome grey mare, Putnam sulky, harness, upstanding horse, dogcart, and harness. On account of various owners, 30 head horses, all classes, a number of buggies, springcarts, vans, &c.

CORPORATION YARDS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. will sell by auction, at Corporation Yards THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
20 prime fat calves
150 prime fat pigs

PRIME FAT CATTLE HUNTER RIVER PADDOCKS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Dempsey, Hunter River, to sell by auction TO-MORROW, at the Corporation Yards, at 11 o'clock,
30 PRIME FAT CATTLE HUNTER RIVER.

BRUNKER and WOLFE will sell THIS DAY (Tuesday), at their Produce Stores, Circular Quay, commencing at 10 o'clock,
Sheepskins.

F. L. BARKER will sell by auction, at his Stores, at 10 o'clock, Leather and Furskins.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Tuesday, the 4th instant, at 10 o'clock,
Butchers' green sheepskins. Terms cash.

WEEKLY LEATHER SALE.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Tuesday, 4th instant, at 10.30 sharp, in their Warehouses, Macquarie-place,
Sole, kip, calf, harness, &c.

TERMS, CASH.

WHEAT. WHEAT. WHEAT.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction TO-MORROW, Wednesday, 5th instant, at 12 sharp, on Union S.S. Company's Wharf, foot Sussex-street,
1000 sacks prime milling and feed wheat, in lots to suit purchasers.
Terms cash.

OATS. OATS. OATS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction TO-MORROW, Wednesday, 5th instant, at 12 sharp, on Union S.S. Company's Wharf, foot Sussex-street,
1500 sacks prime milling and racehorse oats
500 ditto ditto heavy feed oats.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Terms cash.

WEEKLY LEATHER SALE.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, at their Leather Sale Rooms, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock prompt,
Bales leather

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at Circular Quay, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, Kangarooskins.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at Circular Quay, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, Sheepskins.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at Corporation Yards, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
150 pigs, 20 prime vealers
10 coops poultry.

JOHN EVANS and CO. will sell, at the New Meat Market, Pyrmont, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock sharp,
50 quarters prime beef, Orange
30 crops ditto, ditto
50 quarters ditto, Strathearn
200 carcases mutton, South.

MARSUPIAL SKINS, LEATHER.

MORT and CO., Limited, will sell by public auction, at their Warehouses, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, at 10 a.m.
Bales above.
Terms, cash.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st.—Auction Sale THIS DAY, at 12, beef, mutton, &c. H. M'Namara.

SHEEPSKINS.

THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN and MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY, Limited, will sell by public auction, at their Bridge-street Warehouses, THIS DAY, at 10 a.m.,
Sheepskins.

FURRED SKINS.

THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN and MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY, Limited, will sell by auction, at their Bridge-street Warehouses, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
Kangaroo skins
Wallaby ditto
Opossum ditto.

HAY, CHAFF, BRAN, STRAW, &c.

AT DARLING HARBOUR RAILWAY STATION, THIS DAY, at 9.30 a.m.

TATE BROS.' AGENCY and TRADING CO., Limited, will sell by auction, as above.

C. P. HUMPHRIS and CO. will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, straw, chaff, &c.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, September 5, at 11 o'clock.

THE SALE TO BE CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

IN THE ESTATE OF THOMAS JOSEPH LLOYD, Milliner and Fancy Draper.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE AND FITTINGS.

Feathers, Flowers, Laces, Embroideries
Corsets, Ribbons, Collarettes, Nets
Millinery, Trimmings, and Ornaments
Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Trimmed Bonnets, Underclothing
Show Cases, Nests of Drawers
Millinery Stands, Window Fittings
Carpets, Counters
2 Very Large Mirrors, plush frames

JAMES RODD and CO. have received instructions from the Official Assignee to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 1, Wynyard-street, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, September 5, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, at 11 a.m.

On the Premises, 37, WILLIAM-STREET, PADDINGTON.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
GLASS, CHINA, E. P. WARE, CUTLERY
OCCASIONAL SUITE (FIVE PIECES)
BEDROOM SUITE, CARPETS, CURTAINS, &c.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions to sell the above by auction, on the premises, 37, William-street, Paddington, on WEDNESDAY, September 5, at 11 a.m.,

WITHOUT RESERVE.

TO BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS and OTHERS.

LENEHAN and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, September 5, the Flooring of the Pitt-street Skating Rink, only laid a few months, at corner of Pitt and Goulburn streets, at 11 o'clock,
A grand lot of building material, consisting of
10,000ft. 1¼in. T. and G. flooring
10,000ft. joisting, up to 25ft. long, 6 x 2½
5000ft. scantling, 4 x 2½
3000 pine battens
500 sheets C. galvanised iron, all lengths.
The flooring, joisting, and scantling are equal to new, and taken up carefully.
Terms, cash. No reserve, as every lot must be sold.
LENEHAN and CO., 41, Goulburn and George streets.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

To LADIES and GENTLEMEN about to furnish,
LOVERS of the FINE ARTS,
Curiosity Seekers,
and the
PUBLIC IN GENERAL.

WITHOUT DOUBT one of the MOST ELABORATE and INTERESTING AUCTION SALES ever Offered to the Public.

THURSDAY, 13th SEPTEMBER, commencing at 11 a.m. sharp, at the SPACIOUS AUCTION ROOMS, 348, GEORGE-STREET, nearly opposite Wynyard-street.

Acting under instructions from WILLIAM M'MILLAN, Esq., M.L.A., the whole of his VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE will be removed from his RESIDENCE, DUNMORE, WENTWORTHVILLE, Parramatta, for the Convenience of Purchasers.

FULL PARTICULARS will duly BE PUBLISHED IN A FUTURE ISSUE OF THIS PAPER.

WALTER BRADLEY has been favoured with instructions from WILLIAM M'MILLAN, Esq., M.L.A., consequent on the departure of his family to the CONTINENT, to arrange and sell by public auction, on THURSDAY, 13th September, at 11 a.m.,
The whole of his MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, removed from his residence, DUNMORE, near PARRAMATTA, to the AUCTION ROOMS, 348, George-street.

Catalogues in course of Preparation.

AUCTIONEER'S OFFICES—81, Pitt-street.

TERMS, CASH.

CLEARING OUT SALE.

ANDREW ALLAN will sell by auction, on the premises, No. 7, New Pitt-street, Circular Quay, on THURSDAY, at 11 o'clock,
QUANTITY OF GENERAL STORES.
Fire extincteurs, closet pans, tinware
Fishhooks, buckets, pipes
Glass and crockery, wire clotheslines, counter scales
Kerosene stoves, Chronometer clocks, opera glasses
Avery's scales, island beds, books
Gilt picture frames, mouldings, and sundries.
Office—143, King-street.

THE CITY and COUNTY'S ESTATE at Kogarah for Private SALE. Plans and prices Garrard and Hamilton.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 4th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To the WHOLESALE and RETAIL BOOT TRADE, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, &c.

AN EXTENSIVE CONSIGNMENT of MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES.

For Positive Unreserved Auction Sale.

Just landed, ex mail steamer Lusitania.

Consisting of—
Women's Levant E. S., seam to the toe and vamps
Ditto Glace Kid E. S., lace and butt ditto
Ditto Morocco E. S. and Lace Boots
Ditto Kid Polish Button, self vamps
Ditto Glace Kid ditto ditto, ditto
Ditto Lasting E. S., pat. toe, M.H.
Girls' Levant E. S. and Bal., self vamp, 7 to 1
Ditto Glace and Calf Kid Pol. E. S. and Bals., ditto
Ditto Morocco ditto ditto, ditto
Child's ship Shoes, Kid E. T., pat. vamps, Bals. Button in Glace, Kid, Levants, &c.

NO RESERVE WHATEVER.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 4th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
An extensive consignment of the above.

NO RESERVE.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 4th instant, at 10 o'clock.

TO WHOLESALE and RETAIL BOOT and SHOE WAREHOUSEMEN, COUNTRY BUYERS, DEALERS, &c.

Important Unreserved Sale of 18 TRUNKS MEN'S BOOTS, marked EGW in Oblong, 1 to 18.

Just landed, ex Lusitania.

WITH ALL FAULTS, IF ANY.

On account of whom it may concern.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 4th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
1-18—18 trunks men's boots, as above.

With all faults, if any.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 5th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO IRONMONGERS, FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN, FANCY GOODS WAREHOUSEMEN, DEALERS, &c.

Important Unreserved Sale of 103 PACKAGES of
SUPERIOR SCARBOROUGH TRUNKS, 22 to 30 inches
CARPET BROOMS; SHOE, CLOTH, and TOOTH BRUSHES
CLOTHES LINES, in assorted weights
MANILLA BAGS, CAP PAPER, HOLLOWARE
ROPING, TEA, COUNTER, and ITALIAN TWINES
70 1-Gallon Tins Spirit Varnish
30 ½-Gallon Ditto Ditto
TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY, various makers
&c., &c.

Just Landed, ex Carnarvon Castle.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 5th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp.

An extensive consignment of 103 packages, as above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

EX ORONTES AND LISMORE.

27 CASES NEW SPRING DRAPERY, comprising
PRINTS, SATEENS, ZEPHYRS
LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING and MERCERY
LONG CLOTHES, GREY CALICOS, CRETONNES
HARVARD and OXFORD SHIRTS
HOSIERY, GENTS' MERCERY, and HATS
CASHMERES, EMBROIDERED ROBES

3 cases MEN'S TWEED TROUSERS
2 cases MEN'S TROUSERS and VESTS
2 cases BOYS' OXFORD SUITS, 2 to 9
3 cases BLACK and BLUE CORKSCREW COATINGS
2 cases TURKISH TOWELS and H. C. QUILTS,
and a quantity of retail drapers' RESERVE STOCK.

KELLETT and ALFORD have received for unreserved auction sale, at their Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 11 sharp,
Cases and open goods as above.

LIBERAL TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, September 4th, at 11 o'clock.

At 36, BOTANY-STREET, MOORE PARK.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, comprising—
Handsome DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Whatnots
Sweet-toned COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by Hopkinson
Oil Paintings, Oleographs, Ornaments
Chiffonier, Dining Table, Carpets
Pier Glasses, Cornices and Curtains, Fenders and Irons
Double and Single Bedsteads, Bedding, Bed and Table Linen
Chests Drawers, Washstands and Ware, Toilet Tables
Austrian Chairs, Sofas
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. are instructed by Miss Hill to sell by public auction, on the premises, 36, Botany-street Moore Park,
The whole of her household furniture, &c.

MILSON'S POINT.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, at 11 o'clock, at 2, KIRRIBILLI TERRACE, CAMPBELL-STREET, MILSON'S POINT.

ALEX. MOORE and CO. are instructed by the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, on the Premises, Campbell-street, the whole of the
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:—
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, whatnot
AUSTRIAN SUITE, PIER GLASS, oleographs
Carpets, linoleums, cornices and curtains
Sideboard, dining and drawing-room tables
DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS, bedding, bed and table linens
Chests drawers, washstands and ware, toilet tables and glasses
China, glass, cutlery, electroplate
Kitchen and laundry utensils, &c.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, at the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.

GOUDA CANDLES.

ABSOLUTE SALE of 3215 BOXES, each 25lb.

Ex various ships.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

Instructions have been given to the auctioneers to place these shipments to the highest bidders. The trade will therefore come for business. Speculators are invited, as the parcel must be closed out.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above.

PARTICULARS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, September 5.

TEAS
SUGARS
OILMEN'S STORES
GROCERIES
PROVISIONS, &c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, 5th September, at 11 o'clock,
200 boxes splendid new dates, each 25lb.
95 cases Holbrook's pickles and sauces.
With all faults. On account of whom it may concern.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, at the City Mart, at 3 o'clock.

OREGON TIMBER.

The entire cargo of the GRETNA, embracing one of the largest shipments ever made to this market.

1,099,643 feet Rough Oregon
213,062 feet Dressed Full-cut Flooring
70,500 Laths, 4½ feet.

By Order of Messrs. BURNS, PHILP, and CO., Limited.

THIS SPLENDID CARGO has been specially ordered, and comprises the finest Timber ever sent to the Australian colonies. The specification is most suitable for all requirements, and well cut.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made to discharge the GRETNA at Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo Bay, with all despatch.

THIS SALE IS ABSOLUTE.

Catalogues now ready.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Purchasers will please inspect cargo as discharging.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, at the CITY MART, at 3 o'clock.

BALTIC RED DEALS.

Shipment ex Trafalgar.

By Order of Messrs J. BARRE, JOHNSTON and CO.

RRR, 687 pieces, 9 x 3, Deals
3 Stars, 750 pieces, 11 x 3, Deals.

Particulars of Lengths in Catalogues.

Now discharging at Circular Quay.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above.

Inspection invited as discharging.

THIS DAY, 4th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

250 Bags QUEENSLAND and COLONIAL SUGARS
35 Cases "Britannia" SAUCES, assorted
100 Ditto Pew's PICKLES
50 Ditto Pew's SAUCES
120 Boxes "Eclipse" CANDLES
8 Cases BREWER'S HOPS, each 2 Bales
200 Ditto CURRANTS
140 Ditto QUARTER SARDINES
50 Boxes HOUSEHOLD SOAP
50 Quarter-casks Holbrook's VINEGAR
100 Cases Holbrook's PICKLES
2 Tanks Barcelona NUTS
200 Boxes Apollo Schiedam CANDLES
200 Boxes ELEME RAISINS
3 Casks HAMS
50 Cases MARMALADE
200 Ditto FLASK BRANDY
120 Ditto Half-flask DITTO
50 Ditto Old Tom GIN
100 Ditto SCOTCH WHISKY
150 Ditto COGNAC
20 Bales CLOTHES LINES.
Also,
On account of whom it may concern.
With all faults.
15 Half Chests and 13 Boxes TEAS.

To Grocers, Hotel Proprietors, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 4th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, 4th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION of SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising—
CEDAR BOOKCASES, plate-glass doors, with Drawers and Cupboards
OFFICE TABLES and DESKS
EXTENDING DINING-TABLES, in Cedar
DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in Morocco
CEDAR CHIFFONIER SAFES
KITCHEN TABLES, KITCHEN DRESSERS
Wire Wove Spring MATTRESSES
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES
PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES, with bevelled plate-glass doors
Cedar and Pine CHESTS of DRAWERS, combination and portable
PAIRS TOILETS, in Pine and Cedar, with marble top
Single and Double WASHSTANDS, TOILET TABLES
LARGE SIDEBOARDS, in CEDAR, with bevelled plate-glass backs, and fitted with Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.
Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers
&c., &c., &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will hold the above important sale BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 4th SEPTEMBER, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

5 Barrels, each 40 gallons, best Machinery LUBRICATING OIL
10 Ditto ditto 40 ditto Pale Machinery DITTO
50 Nests SCARBOROUGH TRUNKS, 20 to 30 inches
15 Cases SHEEP SHEARS
40 Bales CEYLON KAPOK
16 Cases HORSESHOES, A. P.
10 Cases CARPENTERS' TOOLS, DOOR KNOCKERS, &c., &c.
2 Gross BED KEYS
2 Ditto CROSSCUT SAWS
2 Dozen SCREW JACKS
24 Dozen SHOVELS
100 Ditto SHEEPSHEARS, assorted
8 Cases TURKEY STONES
200 Boxes I. C. CHARCOAL TINPLATES
&c., &c. &c.

To Ironmongers, Machinery Importers, Tinsmiths, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

By order of the Consignees.
On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.

3 Tons "TUCK'S PATENT" RUBBER CORE PACKING, assorted, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¾, 1, 1¼ inch.

To Engineers, Ship Chandlers, Ironmongers, Machinery Importers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY Next, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Otterspool, from London.

5 Cases ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, from the celebrated manufacturers, Jno. Harrison and Co., Limited, Sheffield, and comprising—
TABLE, Dessert, and Tea Spoons, Jam Spoons
Table and Dessert Forks, Sugar Tongs,
&c., &c.

To Ironmongers, Furniture Warehousemen, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY Next, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Ex Eugenie, from New York.

27 Cases AMERICAN CHAIRS, Cane and Wove Seated, Nos. 56 W, 12 IO, 259 VW, 256 VW.

40 Cases AMERICAN NURSE ROCKERS.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.

Ex Blairgowrie, from London.
3 Bundles, each 1 doz., DIGGING FORKS, prong eye
2 Ditto, each 1 doz., S. S. SOCKET SPADES
1 Case, containing 8 HALF TESTERS, 1" assorted, ornamented, 6.6 x 3.6
1 Ditto ditto, 3 DITTO, Taper, Long Bar, Black and Nickel, 6.6 x 4.6
1 Ditto ditto, 3 ditto, 2" parallel Long Bar, ditto 6.6 x 5.0
7 Bales No. 4 GREY BLOCKED PAPER BAGS, 2, 3, 4, and 6 lb.

Ex South American, from New York.
1 Case, containing 1 dozen COLLINS'S YANKEE-HANDLED AXES, 4½ to 6 lb.

Ex Cutty Sark, from London.
1 Crate 12 dozen GALVANISED SEAMED BUCKETS, 12"

Ex Gladstone, from London.
20 Rolls GALVANISED WIRE NETTING, from 36 x 2 x 18 to 24 x ½ x 19.

Ex Yallaroi, from London.
6 Cases, each 12 gross, Bryant and May's PLAID VESTAS, Red.

To Ironmongers, Grocers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY next, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m.

MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY and IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of 57 CASES ELEGANT ART FURNITURE, SUPERB OVERMANTELS, &c., &c.,
Landed in excellent order.

Ex Loch Trool, from London.

Under instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS.

This SHIPMENT has been personally selected by Mr. D. H. DAVIS, whose consignments are so favourably known for their superiority of workmanship, artistic design, and excellent taste, and for their suitability to this market.

To Furniture Warehousemen, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Commission Agents, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN are in receipt of instructions from Mr. D. H. DAVIS to SELL by AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY next, 7th September at 11 o'clock a.m.
The ABOVE SHIPMENT of ELEGANT ART FURNITURE, &c.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES will be obtainable at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS.

ON VIEW THURSDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER.

TERMS AT SALE.

LUNCHEON PROVIDED.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER.

At half-past 2 o'clock in the Afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Consignees.

17 Cases MARBLE MANTELPIECES, comprising—
Statuary, Carved and Fluted Mantels with Frieze
Venetian, Malachite, Black-and-Gold Mantels
Prince Rock and Gilt, Prince Rock, Malachite, Black and Gold
Venetian Malachite and Gilt, Venetian Prince Rock and Gilt
Madrapore Black and Gilt, Madrapore Martinique Black-and-Gold.
&c., &c., &c.

To Marble Masons, Builders, Contractors, Gentlemen Furnishing, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 5th September, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 10 o'clock.
On the Premises, 78, Bathurst-street.
Surplus Household Furniture and Effects
Three large Galvanised Iron Tanks, Ice Chests
Crockeryware and Sundries.

DUNN and WEBB will sell by auction, on the above Premises, the above

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock.
At the Rooms, 280, Pitt-street.
IN THE BANKRUPT ESTATE OF H. B. THORNE.
OFFICE FURNITURE, comprising Pedestal Table, Pigeon Holes, Austrian Chairs, Side Tables, Picturesque Atlas, Contemporary Art Gallery, Linoleum, Paper Rack, and Sundries.
Also,
Small Stock of Tobacconist's Goods
Household Furniture, and Sundries.

DUNN and WEBB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 280, Pitt-street, the above.

THURSDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock.

ON THE PREMISES, 15, LACKEY-STREET, ST. PETERS.

THREE STANCH YOUNG DRAUGHT HORSES
2 Sets Shaft Harness, 2 Sets Leading Harness
DOUBLE BRICK CART, SINGLE BRICK CART
Chaffcutter
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS
Dining and Kitchen Tables, Austrian Chairs
Chiffonier Safes, C. S. Chairs and Rocker, Ornaments
Bedstead and Bedding, Washstands and Ware
Chest Drawers, Toilet Tables and Glasses
Kitchen Utensils and Sundries.

THE ABOVE HORSES have been doing constant work at the brickyards, and are well known as being thoroughly reliable.

DUNN and WEBB have been instructed to sell by auction, on the above premises, the above.

THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock,
Guns, Revolvers, Carpenters' Tools, Opera Glasses
Diamond Cluster Half-hoop and Single-stone Rings
Gold and Silver English Levers, Walthams, Genevas
Gold Alberts, Necklets, Brooches, and Earrings, Bracelets, &c.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, The unredeemed sundries and jewellery, pawned with Mr. W. Scott, Castlereagh-st.

PENSHURST. PENSHURST.

Near HURSTVILLE, on ILLAWARRA LINE.

MONDAY NEXT, September 10, at 11.30 sharp.

SPLENDID VILLA RESIDENCE, known as PENSHURST VILLA, 300ft. frontage to LAYCOCK-ROAD, 3½ ACRES
PLANTED with choice FRUIT TREES.
The RESIDENCE contains 9 large rooms, kitchen, and all outoffices.
TORRENS' TITLE. TORRENS' TITLE.
BAY WINDOWS. LATEST IMPROVEMENTS.

DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions (in conjunction with Booth and Duff) to SELL the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, on MONDAY NEXT, September 10, at 11.30 sharp, at their ROOMS, 109, PITT-STREET.

TERMS AT SALE.

TO SPECULATORS, INVESTORS, and GENTLEMEN in search of a WATERSIDE RESIDENCE.

That valuable property at PITTWATER known as THE PENINSULA, having an area of 40 ACRES, with one and a quarter mile WATER FRONTAGE.

The Estate can be easily irrigated by gravitation from an inexhaustible supply of PURE RUNNING WATER.

THE RESIDENCE is built in a position from which magnificent views are obtained on all sides, and contains 12 rooms and out-buildings, also RUSTIC COTTAGE, containing 4 rooms.

THE ORCHARD consists of 2000 TREES, viz., ORANGES, LEMONS, ALL SUMMER FRUITS, OLIVES, FIGS, and FIJI BANANAS, and will shortly be yielding an annual income of £1000.

DUFF and COLLINS have been favoured with instructions from T. W. WILLANS, Esq., on account of his intended departure for Europe, to sell the above by public auction, at their Rooms, 109, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, at 11.30 sharp.
Coach will meet 9 o'clock boat to convey intending purchasers to the property.
TITLE, TORRENS. NO RESERVE.
N.B.—Printed particulars, plans, and photographs, can be obtained from the Auctioneers.
DUFF and COLLINS, Auctioneers, 109, Pitt-street.

ST. PETERS.

TWO VILLAS, known as BROUGHTON VILLAS, RAILWAY-ROAD, built of brick on stone, each containing 5 rooms, hall, kitchen (stove), washhouse (copper), cellar, garden.
LAND, 50ft. x 110ft. (about), to 20ft. lane at rear.
BAY WINDOWS. CLOSE TO 'BUS and TRAM.
TITLE, TORRENS. EASY TERMS.

DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to sell the above by public auction, at their Rooms, 109, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, September 10th, at 11.30 sharp.

ENMORE.

DETACHED COTTAGE, in MARIAN-STREET, known as GARFIELD, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, large pantry, w.h. shed in yard, bay window, built of brick on stone, slate roof.

TORRENS' TITLE.

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TERMS AT SALE.

To Building and Investment Societies, Speculators, and Land Syndicates.

SALE, BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RUGBY PARK ESTATE.

ROOKWOOD, NEAR THE STATION.

TORRENS' TITLE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, ON AN EARLY DATE, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 130, Pitt-street, at half-past 11 o'clock.
THE RUGBY PARK ESTATE SUBDIVISION, less a few lots transferred.

This is a large and valuable block, well laid out, and offers a PROFITABLE SPECULATION to purchasers of large subdivisions.

TERMS, CASH.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

ESTATE of the Late B. O. HOLTERMANN, Esq.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Executors to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5,
THE UNSOLD ALLOTMENTS in "THE ST. LEONARDS LODGE," "BERRY'S," and HOLTERMANN'S ESTATES, NORTH SHORE, described as follows:—
ST. LEONARDS LODGE.—Lot 3, sec. 4, having 44ft. frontage to WEST-STREET by a depth of 120ft. along a lane to a lane.
BERRY'S ESTATE.—Lots 2 and 3, sec. 3, having 98ft. 4in. frontage to LANE COVE-ROAD by a depth of 113ft. 3½in. along FALCON-STREET to a lane.
Lots 3, 4, 5, sec. 2, each having 40ft. frontage to ALEXANDER-STREET by 120ft.
Lot 5, sec. 2, having 40ft. frontage to ALEXANDER-STREET by 120ft.
Also, FIVE TRIANGULAR ALLOTMENTS, fronting HOLTERMANN, ERNEST, and BURLINGTON STREETS.
HOLTERMANN'S ESTATE.—Lot 18, sec. 1, having 80ft. 3in. frontage to BURLINGTON-STREET by 143ft. along SOPHIA-STREET.
Lots 26 and 27, sec. 2, having 18ft. 11in. frontage to BURLINGTON-STREET and 100ft. to SOPHIA-STREET.
LOT 19, sec. 3, having 35ft. frontage to HOLTERMANN-STREET by 121ft. 4in. to a lane.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.
SOLICITORS for the Estate, Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN.

PLANS on view at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

FOREST LODGE.

A GOOD BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, having 35ft. frontage to WOODS-STREET, by 114ft., being lot 32 of WOODS' SUBDIVISION.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5,
The above-described property.

VALUABLE COAL LANDS.

To Syndicates, Speculators, and Others.

853 ACRES VALUABLE COAL LAND, having TWO MILES FRONTAGE to the LAND of the "GREAT GRETA COAL CO."
Situated about one mile from the Railway, midway between Greta and Branxton Railway Stations.

FOR SALE at the EXCHANGE, SYDNEY.

TUESDAY, 2nd OCTOBER NEXT.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Sparke and Clift) have received instructions from Thomas Drinan, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 2nd October, 1888, at 12 o'clock,
THE RIGHT TO MINE FOR COAL, for a period of 30 YEARS, under the above described land, subject to a Royalty of 6d per ton on large and 3d on small coal, and other conditions to be stated at the time of sale.

This property is advantageously situated as regards its position and the transport of coal, and should commend itself to the parties interested.

Terms: Half cash; balance at 2 years, secured by approved promissory note.

O R D E R O F S A L E of SUNDRY PROPERTIES, to be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 133, PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, September 5.

BUILDING MATERIALS. Comprised in dwellings situate fronting ROWE-STREET, off PITT-STREET.

NORTH SHORE. The UNSOLD ALLOTMENTS in the ST. LEONARDS LODGE, BERRY'S, and HOLTERMANN'S ESTATES, belonging to the Estate of the late B. O. Holtermann, Esq.

FOREST LODGE. THREE COTTAGES, situate fronting CREEK-STREET, off HEREFORD-STREET. The LAND has a frontage of 60ft., by a depth of 108ft.

FOREST LODGE. BLOCK of LAND, having 35ft. frontage to WOOD-STREET, by a depth of 114ft.

PETERSHAM. A Building SITE, situate and having 63ft. frontage to DULWICH-STREET, by a depth of 190ft.

NORTH ANNANDALE. A BLOCK of BUILDINGS, situate fronting WELLS and COLLINS STREETS, comprising SHOP and DWELLING, and 4 COTTAGES.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, 12th SEPTEMBER, 1888.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO BUILDING and LAND COMPANIES, INVESTORS, SPECULATORS, BUILDERS, and OTHERS.

For SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE CAMDEN COLLEGE ESTATE at NEWTOWN.

2 ACRES, 3 ROODS, 19 PERCHES of highly IMPROVED GROUNDS, with CAMDEN COLLEGE (a large old-fashioned building) in the centre.

NEARLY 1000ft. of SELLING FRONTAGE TO BE SOLD IN ONE BLOCK.

The frontages are as follow:—
383ft. 6in. to NEWTOWN-ROAD
330ft. to COLLEGE-STREET
by depth of
387ft. along CAMDEN-STREET
(all made roads).

The Title is under Torrens' Act.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the COUNCIL of CAMDEN COLLEGE to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, in Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 12th SEPTEMBER, CAMDEN COLLEGE and IMPROVED GROUNDS of 2 ACRES, 3 ROODS, 19 PERCHES.

The Auctioneers direct attention to the sale of this IMPORTANT BLOCK of almost CITY LAND, situate on the MAIN ROAD, midway between the NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION and ST. PETERS RAILWAY STATION, almost adjoining the BUSINESS CENTRE of NEWTOWN.

The COLLEGE is a LARGE MASSIVE STRUCTURE, and if pulled down the materials will realise a handsome sum. The Newtown-road frontage is protected by stone wall, iron railings, and gates. The shrubberies and trees are of mature growth, but all must disappear before the business growth of Newtown, which is now undoubtedly the busiest of Sydney's suburbs.

The terms will be one-fourth (¼) cash, the balance may remain at 6 per cent.

Torrens' Title.

Plans ready.

T. B. ROLIN, Esq., Solicitor, Terry's-chambers, Pitt-street.

P. SYDNEY NOTT, Esq., Surveyor, Victoria-chambers, Castlereagh-street.

MAGNIFICENT SUBDIVISION BLOCK, in an elevated spot, level land, large road frontage, handy to steamers' wharf, and within an hour's drive of the city.

PARISH OF WILLOUGHBY, near Fig Tree Bridge, Lane Cove River.

WOODCOCK'S THREE GRANTS, in area 43 ACRES 1 ROOD 23 PERCHES, on both sides of Burn's Bay-road, near Mr. Chadlick's residence and orchard, and about 12 minutes' walk from Fig Tree Ferry Wharf.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described large area of good land, in every way suitable for subdividing into villa sites, which should sell well in the coming summer.
Plan on view. Terms liberal.
Messrs. COPE and KING, Pitt-street, are the Solicitors of owner. (3346)

WATER FRONTAGE BLOCK in LONG BAY, MIDDLE HARBOUR, opposite Folly Point, and near Mr. Macpherson's residence.

SMITH'S GRANT, 6 ACRES and 33 Perches by measurement, having a large frontage to high water mark in Long Bay, and extending to and having a frontage to a road one chain wide.
_ Water frontages are limited, therefore those seeking them should watch this sale.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described waterside grant, in the parish of North Willoughby. Plan on view.
Full particulars of title may be obtained from Messrs. COPE and KING. (3345)

BUILDING MATERIALS, PETERSHAM, of PREMISES fronting PARRAMATTA-ROAD, CRYSTAL-STREET, and QUEEN-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The building materials of above premises.

TERMS, CASH. (3351)

SOUTH ANNANDALE ESTATE.

Lots 2 and 3, section C, each 20ft. to DOUGLAS-STREET, next House at corner of Stanley-street, depth 120ft., extending to lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 7th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above elevated building sites, near Stanmore station.

AUSTRALIAN JOINT STOCK BANK SHARES.

Estate late Mr. William Brown.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, by order of the Trustees, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY NEXT, 7th September, at 11.30 a.m.,
250 SHARES in above-named Bank, in lots to suit purchasers. (3352)

C I T Y P R O P E R T I E S in KING-STREET, corner of SUSSEX-STREET, and CASTLEREAGH-STREET, between Market and Park streets, at our Rooms, at 11.30 a.m., NEXT FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, by order of the Trustees Estate late Wm. Holt, Esq.

For full particulars see yesterday's Herald.
(2276) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ROOKWOOD, handy to the Railway Station.

Lot 1.—BLOCK of LAND, township of St. Joseph, in area 3r. 29p., having 153ft. frontage to PATRICK-STREET, depth 394ft.
Lot 2.—ALLOTMENTS 15 and 16, having 56ft. frontage to JAMES-STREET, depth 137ft., extending to lane.
Lot 3.—CORNER Allotment, 42ft. to Raphael-street, and 110ft. to Davey-street.

_ These lands are on the south side of the railway line, east of the main road and only a few minutes' walk from the railway station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above Rookwood Land. Lots 2 and 3 are under Torrens' Act.
Messrs. CAPE, KENT, and GADEN are solicitors of the Mortgagee. (3354)

IN A DECEASED ESTATE.

BALMAIN, close to the Darling-street Ferry.

TWO COTTAGES, Nos. 6 and 10, UNION-STREET, off Darling-street East, and Cottage No. 8, at the rear.
The Land has 50ft. Frontage, Depth 66ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above small property at Balmain.
Full particulars in future issue.
Terms at Sale.
Messrs. DEANE and DEANE, Elizabeth-street, Solicitors for the Estate. (3355)

EUWONTHAREENVHA ESTATE, consisting of
44,178 Acres Freehold Land
1,420 ditto Leasehold
2,370 ditto Occupation License
together with
45,000 Superior Merino Sheep.

The estate adjoins the important town of Wagga Wagga, a station of the main line of railway between Sydney and Melbourne being on the property. It consists of rich arable and pasture land.

The inhabitants of the district have made repeated applications to have the estate subdivided, and as it will be sold as a whole, the present is a most favourable opportunity for land speculators and syndicates to obtain a property giving a good return if worked as at present, and a certain profit on subdivision.

DOUGHARTY, SON, and PARKER have received instructions to offer for sale by auction, on an early day to be named, if not previously disposed of by private contract,
The above Estate and stock.
Terms, liberal.

Apply DOUGHARTY, SON, and PARKER, 28, Market-buildings, Melbourne.

ORDER OF SALE.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, at 11.30 a.m.

WOODIN and ROBBERDS have received instructions to sell the undermentioned valuable PROPERTIES by public auction, at their ROOMS, 134, PITT-STREET, near King-street, on above date:—

BALMAIN. Valuable Water-frontage Property, having 90ft. frontage to Waterview Bay by a depth of 303ft. along Duke-street to Duke-lane. Upon this property is erected a 10-roomed House, with conservatory, lawn, garden, floating wharf, boatshed, &c.

REDFERN. Valuable Corner Site at Elizabeth and Cooper streets, upon which is erected a 6-roomed House of brick on stone, fitted with modern conveniences. The property is leasehold, having 60 years to run at £3 per annum.

COOGEE. A very valuable Block of Building Land, close to the ocean, having 66ft. frontage to Belmore-road (the main road) by a depth of 92ft., upon which is erected a small wooden structure, the block being allotments 14 and 15, St. Kilda Estate. Freehold.

COOGEE. A corner Block good building Land, having 61ft. 7in. frontage to the Coogee Bay-road, by a depth of 135ft. along Nathan-street, the block being allotments Nos. 1 and 2 of Thompson's Subdivision. Freehold.

RANDWICK. Corner Block good building Land, having 53ft. 6in. frontage to William-street, by a depth of 150ft. along Judge-street. This is a most desirable block, being situated within three minutes' walk of the tram. Torrens' title.

MARRICKVILLE. A Block of good well-drained Land, suitable for building purposes, within easy distance of the tram, to be sold in one or two allotments, having 71ft. frontage to Albert-street, by a depth of 109ft. Freehold title.

COOGEE.

THURSDAY, 6th September, at 11.30 a.m.

In the Estate of the late Madame Rollands.

WOODIN and ROBBERDS have been instructed in the above Estate to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 134, Pitt-street, the undermentioned valuable BUSINESS and RESIDENTIAL SITES at Coogee:—
ST. KILDA ESTATE.—Lots 14 and 15, having together a frontage of 66ft. to the northern side of BELMORE-ROAD by a depth of 92ft. This block of land is situated within a few yards of the reserves fronting the beach, and would be a splendid site for an HOTEL or other BUSINESS catering to the pleasures of the public.
The title is a good freehold. 66ft. by 92ft.

CORNER BLOCK, being lots 1 and 2 of M. Thompson's subdivision, having 61ft. 7in. frontage to COOGEE BAY-ROAD (Belmore-road) by a depth of 135ft. along NATHAN-STREET.
This is a splendid site for a SUBURBAN VILLA, or for two attached houses. Good views, handy to tram, and close to beach.
The title is a good freehold. 61ft. 7in. by 135ft.

TO LAND COMPANIES, SYNDICATES, AND OTHERS.

That Magnificent WATER FRONTAGE ESTATE, known as CORBETT'S GARDENS, BOTANY, embracing An area of nearly 20 ACRES, with FRONTAGES to BOTANY-ROAD and the waters of Botany Bay, and ADJOINING the SIR JOSEPH BANKS HOTEL and GROUNDS.

For AUCTION SALE at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., by BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

A B S O L U T E S A L E

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

GREEN'S ESTATE, PARRAMATTA.

2 Valuable LOTS, CORNER ARGYLE and MARSDEN STREETS
4 BLOCKS, CORNER KISSING POINT-ROAD and BETTS-STREET,
and
THE BALANCE OF ROCK FARM SUBDIVISION, comprising 20 SPLENDID FARM BLOCKS,
for AUCTION SALE, at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., by BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

MANLY, CLOSE TO PIER.

INGLESIDE, a pretty detached 7-roomed COTTAGE and LAND, 50 x 128, CORNER RAGLAN and KANGAROO STREETS, for AUCTION SALE, at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., by BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

M O R T G A G E E ' S S A L E. WAVERLEY.

Comfortable 7-roomed RESIDENCE and LAND 26 x 132, BIRRELL-STREET, few yards from tram, for AUCTION SALE, at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., by BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

THE ROYAL HOTEL, corner of MOLESWORTH and WOODLARK STREETS, LISMORE.

FOR SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, The Lease, License, and Goodwill of one of the very best paying Hotels north of Sydney, WITH OR WITHOUT FURNITURE.

E. W. MACKAY has been favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, Molesworth-street, Lismore, on SATURDAY, 15th September, at 2 p.m.,
The lease, license, and goodwill of the Royal Hotel, Lismore, lately occupied by Mr. J. Brown.

The LEASE of this property extends over a period of SEVENTEEN YEARS, and the rent for the first ten years is £200 per annum, and the remaining seven years £150 per annum.

In the above commodious FAMILY HOTEL there are 27 rooms, including 4 parlours, 2 large dining-rooms, 17 bedrooms, and billiard-room.

The ROYAL HOTEL is beyond all doubt the most centrally situated house in town, and does by far the largest bar trade in the district.

The rent is exceedingly low, and the term of lease a very lengthy one,
and the WHOLE of THE BUILDINGS are in a first-class state of repair.

The above is a really good profitable business, and persons in search of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL will find very few such houses offering to speculators.

It also commends itself to their consideration, as the house will let readily at from £5 to £6 per week, giving them an interest on the outlay of from 10 to 12 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SALE DAY: 15th SEPTEMBER, at 2 p.m.

F O R P R I V A T E S A L E

THE CITY AND COUNTY L. L. AND B. COMPANY'S ESTATE at KOGARAH.

£2 DEPOSIT. 5s WEEKLY.

¼ ACRES.

LOOK at the TERMS.

£2 DEPOSIT.
5s PER WEEK PER BLOCK,
With right to PAY OFF AT ANY TIME.

2½ PER CENT. DISCOUNT for CASH.

NO INTEREST if PAID WITHIN 6 MONTHS.

Or Balance in 96 equal Monthly Payments, Interest 6 per cent.

Or in 60 equal Monthly Payments, Interest 5 per cent.

YOUR PAYMENTS are EASY And INTEREST LOW.

ASSISTANCE TO BUILD.

Plans and prices, GARRARD and HAMILTON, 76, Pitt-street.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE MR. D. WILLIAMS.

B. D. MOREHEAD and CO. have been instructed by the Executors of the late Mr. D. Williams to sell privately,
That valuable city SITE, situated in Elizabeth-street, Brisbane, having 99 feet frontage to that street and 33 feet to a lane, containing 31 perches, more or less.
Also,
That grand piece of LAND at corner of Alice and Albert streets, Brisbane, having 183 feet frontage to the former street, facing the Botanic Gardens, and 74½ feet to the latter, and containing 36 perches, more or less.
For full particulars apply to B. D. MOREHEAD and Co., Mary-street; or to T. A. BOND, Queen-street, Brisbane.

Houses and Land for Sale.

A D M I T T E D

by all who have seen it
to be
The BEST FARM LAND
obtainable
NEAR SYDNEY,
possessing
RICH ALLUVIAL FLATS,
GENTLY UNDULATING FERTILE SLOPES,
and
MILES OF DEEP FRESHWATER FRONTAGES,
which cannot be surpassed.

This Land is for Sale by Messrs. PHILLIPS and CO., of 32, Castlereagh-street, in Blocks of 2½ Acres, 5 Acres, or up to 1000 Acres, on the following
EASY TERMS,
and
WITHOUT INTEREST.

Cash Purchasers are allowed a Discount of 10 per cent.

TERMS:

2½ Acres, £0 18 9 per month		NO INTEREST.
5 ditto, 1 17 2 ditto		
10 ditto, 3 13 6 ditto		NO DEPOSIT.
15 ditto, 5 9 2 ditto		
20 ditto, 7 4 0 ditto		NO FORFEITURE.
30 ditto, 10 11 6 ditto		
50 ditto, 16 17 6 ditto		
100 ditto, 30 0 0 ditto.		

£3000 BONUSES, £3000.
Bonuses to the value of £3000 will be distributed amongst purchasers.

FREE PASSES EVERY DAY
to inspect.

FREE. } PLANS, PAMPHLETS, and full information } FREE.
on application, personally or by letter, at our offices.
PHILLIPS and CO.,
Carrington-chambers, 30 and 32, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.
N.B.—Yer our eulogistic letters from well-known gentlemen who have visited the estate, can be seen at our office

D A I R Y F A R M S.

ONE HUNDRED (100) ACRES
for £125.

Terms:
FIVE POUNDS (£5) DEPOSIT,
and
TWO POUNDS SIX SHILLINGS per MONTH.

Title, Torrens' Act.

PHILLIPS and CO.,
32, Castlereagh-street.

THREE-ACRE FARMS, 20s a month, no interest, near Sydney. Free passes. Phillips and Co.

MANLY COVE ESTATE.

FOR PRIVATE SALE,
on
EASY TERMS,
from
FIVE SHILLINGS PER FOOT.

GOOD LAND.

WELL SITUATED.

WORTH INSPECTION.

REAL BARGAINS. BARGAINS.

Call or Send for Plan.

THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT COMPANY,
Limited,
96, Bathurst-street, Sydney.

W. J. DOUGLAS,
Manager.

PARRAMATTA-DURAL RAILWAY.

For PRIVATE SALE, grand Orchard PROPERTY and about 44 acres land; about 4000 trees, orange, lemon, mandarin, and all kinds Summer fruit; well-arranged residence, and every convenience; Torrens' title; returns £600 per annum, and can be well recommended; terms can be arranged.
W. A. BRODIE and CO., Parramatta.

ROSSMORE DAIRY FARMS.

NEAR LIVERPOOL.
1000 ACRES TO CHOOSE FROM.
Terms: Sixpence per week per acre
10 Acres Cleared Land, 20s per month.
This property is the most lovely one in the county, and for accessibility, general conveniences, quality of soil, price and wonderful terms, cannot be surpassed.
Daily post, church upon the estate, and Public school close by.
A splendid judge of land, who has known this estate many years, has selected 100 acres, another 50 acres, and altogether 400 acres have been taken up.
A grand dairy or cultivation farm of 50 acres, with new 4-roomed cottage, land cleared and fenced, and permanent water, for small deposit, and easy payments if required. Title, Torrens', and immediate possession.
Remember, the easiest terms ever offered anywhere. If intending buyers proceed by morning train to Liverpool, Wednesdays, Saturdays, or Sundays, they will find free conveyances to the property, where they can obtain guides, plans, and all particulars, and from
E. P. DAWBARN, 11, York-street, Sydney.

BALMAIN.—Four-roomed detached Brick COTTAGE, near Bald Rock; £200 can remain fixed mortgage, balance cash or easy terms; in perfect order, and at present occupied. Also, 5a. Block, Wood Park Estate. E. P. Dawbarn, 11, York-st.

TO CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS.
A BARGAIN TO IMMEDIATE PURCHASER.
For SALE (on account of proprietor leaving colony) the undermentioned PROPERTIES:—
Lot 1. FIVE SHOPS and DWELLINGS, splendid position, MAIN ROAD, 20 minutes of G. P. O., valued £5000; price, £4250.
Lot 2. TERRACE PROPERTY, FACING PARK, on city boundary, 14 MINUTES from G. P. O., valued £6300; LONG LEASEHOLD; price, £5200.
Lot 3. Suburban LAND, right at railway station, valued £600; price, £375. Lots 1 and 2 show big returns, and are daily increasing in value. Full particulars to principals only.
PROPRIETOR, Box 791, G. P. O.

FAMILY RESIDENTIAL ESTATE, consisting of 14-roomed residence, stabling, and 13 acres of land, consisting of garden, orchard, vineyard, and grazing paddocks, situate 12 miles from Sydney, 15 minutes' walk from suburban railway station.

BOYD and KING are instructed by Judge Murray to dispose of the above charmingly situated residential property, situated in a picturesque position, and at an elevation rendering it essentially healthy and attractive.

For particulars, terms, and orders to view, apply to
BOYD and KING,
Auctioneers,
96, Pitt-street, Sydney.

This desirable property can be disposed of either in its entirety or partially, or will be let on lease, with option of purchase.

FOR SALE, within 8 minutes of Summer Hill station, and in one of the grandest positions and on the heights of this favourite suburb, having commanding views, a Gothic RESIDENCE of large dimensions, containing 9 large and lofty rooms, exclusive of kitchen, bath, pantry, scullery, asphalted walks, and yard enclosed with trellis; water, gas, easterly aspect, marble mantels, tiled hearths and verandah; stands well in its own grounds. Price £2400, and can be inspected between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. any day. EVANS and CO., Tinterne-road and Smith-street, Summer Hill.

FOR SALE, COTTAGE and 10 Acres Orchard, one and a-half miles from Gosford; splendid frontage to main road. To meet the times the price has been reduced to £800. Full particulars may be obtained from C. A. MAXWELL, Land Agent, 1 and 2, Montague-chambers, Hunter and Elizabeth streets, Sydney.

LOOPLINE OF RAILWAY, ST. PETERS TO LIVERPOOL.—For SALE, close to surveyed line and station, a grand elevated Block of LAND, 100 acres, part cleared and all fenced; the land has considerable frontage to a Government road, and is well situated for subdivision.
C. F. LEE, 101, Elizabeth-street, near King-street.

FOR SALE, cheap, will pay over 10 per cent. as an investment, compact detached brick COTTAGE, containing 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, &c., on land 50 x 150; situated at Saywell's tram terminus and sea baths, Lady Robinson's Beach, Rockdale. Apply
G. SMALES, Grand Parade.

TASMANIA.—30 acres rich LAND, for £80; splendid river frontage. Land, Watson's Agency, Ashfield.

FLEURS FARMS, £12 per acre. CAMPBELL, MITCHELL, and CO., 417 George-street.

MORTLAKE.—For SALE, a splendid large Corner Allotment; Torrens', cheap. Broughton Bros., 295, Pitt-st.

PADDINGTON.—For SALE, comfortable Family HOUSE, drawing-room, dining-room (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, 2d tram, charmingly situated; small deposit, balance rent. Apply at once, Agency Co., corner Oxford and Eliz. sts., Pad.

RANDWICK.—Avoca-street, close tram, Family Residence, 7 rooms, stabling land, 40 x 250, £2500; Rainbow-street, Cottage, 5 rooms, £800; William-street, block of land, 132 x 135, £3 per foot; Allison-road, new brick House, close tram, £750; Bourke-street, Family Residence, with over 1 acre of land, £4500; also Land and Houses in best positions, commanding grand sea views and inland scenery.
GARDINER, Estate Agent,
Corner Belmore-road,
Randwick.

RIVERSTONE.—5-acre BLOCK, cheap, near German Charlie. F. King, Crescent-street, Balmain.

WATERSIDE RESIDENCE for SALE, with every convenience. Starboard, General Post Office.

LANE COVE.—4½ ACRES, close Gordon station, £135 per acre. Dunn and M'Keown, 70, Elizabeth-street.

SHOP and comfortable Dwelling (detached) for SALE, best business position. Apply Albert, watchmaker, Enmore.

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THE FRIENDS of Mr. W. EVELYN LIARDET are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved FATHER; to move from his late residence, Cliefden Villa, Stanmore-road, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11.45, for St. John's Cemetery, Parramatta. JAMES WEEKS, Undertaker, 96, King-street, Newtown, and Day-street, Leichhardt.

THE FUNERAL of the late Mr. EDWARD PURSER will leave his son's residence, Glenview, Castle Hill, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Wesleyan Cemetery. JORDAN SPARKS, Undertaker, Phillip-street, Parramatta.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. MANUEL JOSEPH MARTIN, of brig Chieftain, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Elizabeth; to move from the residence of her Brother, Flora Cottage, 91, Curtis-road, Balmain, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Balmain Catholic Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. EDWARD PRATT are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly beloved SISTER, Mrs. Elizabeth Martin; to move from his residence, Flora Cottage, 91, Curtis-road, Balmain, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Balmain Catholic Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, Sydney, Balmain, &c.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. THOMAS COLLUMB are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 12, Grafton-terrace, Grafton-street, Waverley, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Waverley. WALTER CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WILLIAM DUNLOP are respectfully invited to his Funeral; to move from the residence of Mr. Perryman, Willow Lodge, Wilson-street, Newtown, on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 8.45, for the Newtown Station, thence to the Necropolis. JAMES WEEKS, Undertaker, 196, King-street, Newton, and Day-street, Leichhardt.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ROBERT COSKERIE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved SON, Wellwood Maxwell; to move from his residence, 191, Evans-street, Balmain, TO-MORROW (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Mortuary, and thence to Presbyterian Cemetery, Necropolis. WOOD and CO. Undertakers.

Lost and Found.

LOST, PURSE, at the Post Office Registry, Monday morn., containing about 14s. Reward, 72, Forbes-st., W'loo.

LOST, on Sunday, Bunch of KEYS. Kindly return to 18, Post Office-chambers. Reward.

LOST, lady's Silver Lever WATCH (open face), between George and Paddington sts. Reward, Smith, 40, Stewart-st.

LOST, Potts Point, young Pug SLUT: handsome reward. H. Roberts, 9, Hunter-street.

LOST, on Saturday, a Red King PARROT. Reward, on returning to 54, Marlborough-street.

LOST, between Hay-street and Abattoirs, Axle NUT of Meat Van. Reward, H. M'Namara, Hay-street.

LOST, Fox TERRIER, name on blue collar. Reward, J. Stackpool, 47, Moncur-street, Woollahra.

LOST, Rosella PARROT, Saturday, good whistler. Finder rewarded on returning 2, Bent-street, Paddington.

LOST, Pomeranian SLUT, all white, at Summer Hill, on Friday last; reward. Deakin, Croydon, or 70, Pitt-st.

LOST, Carter's Receipt BOOK; reward. J. Schweppe and Co., 58, Margaret-street.

LOST at Moore Park, Sunday morning, Fox-terrier Slut, white and lemon. Reward. Rising Sun Hotel, Eliz'th-st. S.

LOST by a little girl, a PURSE containing money, in Glebe Point tram on Saturday. Finder rewarded on returning it to 107, Derwent-street, Glebe.

LOST, in Hyde Park, between tram and Museum, small Paper PARCEL. Return to the Museum, College-street. Reward at Museum, College-street, Hyde Park.

LOST, between Dr. Renwick's and Temperance Hall, BROOCH, white ground, gold rim, small blue stones; reward. 266, Pitt-street.

LOST, in Darlinghurst-road, between William-street and St. John's Church, a large Green STONE of Finger Ring, with motto. Reward, 1, Bayswater-road.

LOST, on or near P. and O. Wharf, 3rd instant, a Leather PURSE, initials T. C. W. on back. £2 reward on returning same to Mr. Wrench, 98, Pitt-street.

LOST, a Brindle BULLDOG, answers to the name of Nelly. The finder will be rewarded on bringing it to the Grand Hotel, Waverley.

LOST, Lady's Gold WATCH, with silver chain, at Her Majesty's Skating Rink, on Saturday evening. Person who was seen taking same from boy please return, or further proceedings will be taken. Reward, Miss Jarvis, 9, Bucknell-st., Newtwn.

LOST, from near Marrickville tram terminus, on Saturday afternoon, a small black-and-tan Terrier SLUT. Liberal reward on returning to C. G. Irving, Garner's-avenue, Marrickville.

LOST, CHEQUE, £15 17s, dated July 4, 1888, drawn by John Taylor and Co. in favour of Messrs. T. O'Sullivan and Co., of Newcastle, on Commercial Bank. Payment stopped. Reward. Jno. Taylor and Co., 15, Sussex-street.

LOST, Sunday, between St. Mary's Church, Waverley, and Edgecliffe-road, via Botany-street and Bondi-road, Cameo BROOCH; reward. Tallooma, Edgecliffe-road, near the Waverley Brewery.

ONE POUND REWARD.—STRAYED, on 1st September, from Thomas Dixon's paddock, Druitt Town, a bay MARE, star on forehead, unbranded, two new shoes, cocked and toed, on fore feet, two stripes of hair off inside hind legs.

REWARD.—Lost, Silver Bracelet, August 31, between Crystal Palace Rink and Kent-st. 373, Bourke-st., D'hrst.

FOUND, Fox-Terrier SLUT. If not claimed within 7 days will be sold. Apply 11, Burton-street.

FOUND, Fox Terrier SLUT; if not claimed within seven days, will be sold. G. H. Butt, Mary Cottage, Railway-street, Petersham.

FOUND, Beagle HOUND (dog). If not owned within seven days will be sold to defray expenses. W. Murphy, Sutherland Hotel, Sutherland.

MARRICKVILLE POUND.—Roan HORSE, branded JN near shoulder.

NEWTOWN POUND.—Red and white COW, red and white Heifer, red Heifer, no brands.

STRAYED on to my premises, DOG, black and white, collar and plate without name. If not claimed will be sold to pay expenses. P. Ryan, Rose Bay.

Meetings.

Metropolitan Transit Commissioners' Office, 60, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, Sept. 3, 1888.

THE usual Weekly MEETING of the Metropolitan Transit Commissioners will be held at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY NEXT, September 5.

W. J. MERRIMAN, Registrar.

ROYAL SOCIETY of NEW SOUTH WALES.

A CONVERSAZIONE will be held in the GREAT HALL of the UNIVERSITY on WEDNESDAY, 5th SEPTEMBER, at 8.30 p.m.

To prevent inconvenience Invitation Cards must be presented at the door.

Carriages are to enter the University Grounds by the Newtown-road Gate, and pass out by the Parramatta-road Gate.

A. LIVERSIDGE, F. B. KYNGDON, } Hon. Secs.

AUSTRALIAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION.

The THIRD MEETING of the current Session will be held in the Rooms, Equitable-chambers, Pitt and Park streets, TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock.

Business:

1. Paper by Mr. W. H. Chard, on "The Manufacture of Australian Wools in Europe and America, and the Causes Preventing similar Manufacturing in the Colonies."
2. Discussion of the Hon. Dr. Garran's Inaugural Address, and of Mr. B. C. Boase's Paper read at last meeting.

A. DUCKWORTH, Hon. Secretary.

MASONIC.—Members of Lodge Tranquillity desirous of attending Banquet, to be held on the 18th instant, will please send in their application for Tickets immediately, to Lewis Samuel, secretary, 386, Oxford-street, Paddington.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY. £25,000 PENSION FUND.

A MEETING of Members of the A. M. P. Society opposed to payment of pensions to the officers will be held in the TOWN HALL, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 8 o'clock p.m., to raise funds to have the Pension matter tried in the Equity Court.

His Worship the MAYOR will take the chair.

JOHN M'ELHONE.

THE AUSTRALIAN WATER and MINERAL BORING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First General MEETING of Shareholders of this Company, convened in accordance with clause 70 of The Companies Act, will be held at 3.15 p.m. on MONDAY, September 17, at the Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Progress Report and Balance-sheet to August 31, 1888, and to transact any other business that may be brought forward.

By order of the Board.

G. S. BUZACOTT, Secretary.

EXCELSIOR LAND, INVESTMENT, and BUILDING COMPANY and BANK, Limited.

The EIGHTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 171, York-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, September 5, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon.

Business:

To receive the report of the Board for the past year

To elect one director in the place of George Renwick, Esq., who retires by rotation and is eligible for re-election

and

To elect two auditors in the place of George Durham, Esq., and Dr. Thos. Dixson, both of whom are eligible for re-election.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.

Messrs. GEORGE RENWICK and ROBERT THOMPSON have given the requisite notice of their candidature for the office of Director.

LANKELLY MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Office, United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, on MONDAY, 24th September, 1888, at 11 o'clock a.m., to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to the 10th September, 1888, and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.

United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, 1st September, 1888.

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THE BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY BLOCK 10 COMPANY, Limited.

GENERAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 14th day of September, 1888, at Scott's Hotel, Collins-street West, Melbourne, at 3 o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS:

To Elect Directors of the Company in the place of the present directors—Messrs. W. P. Macgregor, D. E. M'Bryde, W. R. Wilson, G. M'Culloch, Bowes Kelly, and R. C. Macpherson, who retire from office, but offer themselves, and are eligible, for re-election.

Dated at 15, Queen-street, Melbourne, this 22nd day of August, 1888.

By order of the Board,
JOHN BRANDON, Secretary.

WEBB'S CENTRAL PROPRIETARY COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First General MEETING of Shareholders of this Company, convened in accordance with clause 70 of The Companies Act, will be held at 2 p.m. on MONDAY, the 17th instant, at the Mercantile Mutual Chambers, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Progress Report and Balance-sheet to August 31, and to transact general business.

By order of the Board.
G. S. BUZACOTT, Manager.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.—The NEW MASONIC HALL, Castlereagh-street, can be engaged for the above purpose.

For terms, apply to the Manager, New Masonic Hall.

Lectures.

LADIES' SANITARY ASSOCIATION.

The Sixth LECTURE of the Winter Course will be delivered in the Large Hall of the Young Men's Christian Association TO-DAY, Tuesday, September 4th, at 3 p.m., by Dr. W. CAMAC WILKINSON, M.D. Lond., M.R.C.P., M.L.A.

Subject—"Nature, Action, and Use of Food."

Admission, 1s.

MARY KENT, Hon. Sec.

ASSOCIATION OF LAY HELPERS. Diocese of Sydney.

THIS EVENING, 8 o'clock, St. James's Parish Hall, Canon Kemmis will deliver his fourth Lecture, "The Reformation."

The Lecture by Dr. Jenkins has been postponed until October 16.

E. R. DEAS-THOMSON, W. H. ROWSELL, Hon. Secs.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The following FREE LECTURE will be delivered THIS DAY, TUESDAY, in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, at 8 p.m.:—

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WANTED, Carpenters, to line ceilings shops, Ashfield, near station. H. Hart, undertaker, Surry Hills.

WANTED, IMPROVERS to Carpentering and Painting. Apply back of Paul's, butcher, Susex & Bathurst sts.

WANTED, smart BOY for shop, wages 5s per week. Apply after 6 p.m., C. Morrison, 140, Liverpool-street.

WANTED, Smart APPRENTICES to the Hairdressing. Apply F. Luciana, 20, Park-street.

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WANTED, Nursery GOVERNESS or Children's MAID, good needlewoman. Idalia, 126, Victoria-st. N.

WANTED, Bricklayer's IMPROVER. Apply Mr. Barr job Cleveland-street, off Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, at once, a PAPERHANGER. Apply 164, Crown-road, Ultimo.

WANTED, PLASTERER. D. Palmer, Robinson's job, Leichhardt-street, Waverley.

WANTED, a BOY for rivet-heating. Brown and Brown, City Iron Works, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a smart young MAN, accustomed to the butchering. W. Pointing, 340, Riley-st., Surry Hills.

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WANTED, an Office BOY. Apply 10 o'clock, J. A. Adrain, Lyndon-chambers, 161, Phillip-street.

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Apply upstairs in our Dressmaking Department, 207, Pitt-street. HORDERN BROTHERS.

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AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—No charge made to employers for engaging male servants for country or town.

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BY respectable young Person, SITUATION, as W. Housekeeper, 1 or 2 gentlemen. E. F., 7, Harmer-street.

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BY a steady Man (30), garden, milk, useful about house and place, good refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY good Men Cooks, Milkers, Gardeners, Bakers, Ploughmen, useful Men. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

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BY young man, groom, garden, milk, useful, good references, wages 15s. J. R., Park-street P. O.

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DRESSMAKER and thorough Needlewoman, terms moderate, by day or week. 427, Elizabeth-street.

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ENGINEER, thoroughly practical, holding first-class certificates, and nine years' experience on sea-going steamers, is open to ENGAGEMENT on shore; understands refrigerating and electric machine, and a good manager of men. Address Engineer, care of Bignell and Clark, builders, Camperdown.

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GARDENER wants Situation; single, good flower, fruit, vegetable grower; can milk; good reference. C. T., Herald.

GENERAL Servant wants SITUATION in gentleman's family, good references. M. W. N., Herald Office.

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RESPECTABLE Girl requires Situation as Barmaid, and assist in housew'k; 3 yrs. refs. E. G., 160, Castle'gh-st.

RESPECTABLE Girl wants SITUATION as General Servant. Apply 224, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.

RESPECTABLE young Girl wants SITUATION as General Servant. Apply J. W., Oxford-street Post-office.

RESPECTABLE Person wants Situation, good cook and laundress, sleep home, refs. E. D., 505, Kent street.

RESPECTABLE young woman wants Situation, Laundress and Housemaid, refs. R., 52, Holt-st., Surry Hills.

SITUATION wanted, as Barmaid or Housemaid, and assist; good references. M. H., 280, Kent-street.

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WANTED, by a respectable young Person, a Situation as Housemaid or H. M. and Laundress. B. H., G. P. O.

WANTED, by young Person, SITUATION in small private family. Address A. B. C., Miller's Point P. O.

WANTED, Jobbing Work, repairing cottages, painting, and carpentry. T. B., 10, Dowling-st., Camperdown.

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WANTED, SITUATION by good Cook and Housekeeper; 5 years' refs. R. Herald Office.

WANTED, by good laundress, Washing or Cleaning by day, refs. 3, Ormonde-ter., Underwood-st., Pad'ton.

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WANTED, SITUATION as Cook and Laundress, by a comp. person, good refs. B. A., Crofts, 95, William-st.

WANTED, by good Dressmaker, SEWING, by day or week. W. C., William-street Post-office.

WANTED, Situation, Housemaid, good hotel or club; good refs.; open 2 days. L. M. C., Thurlow-st., Redfern.

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WANTED, a SITUATION as Housemaid or G. S. in small family, g. r. J. B., 41, Wilton-st., Strawberry Hills.

WANTED, SITUATION as Housemaid or G. S. in small family. C. G., 9, Thomas-street, Darlington.

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WANTED, a Situation as Cook in gentleman's family, Apply M. F., Mr. Simmonds, Parramatta-road, Annandale.

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YOUNG English Lady, good musician, would undertake charge of young children in gentleman's family, without teaching, salary not under £40, town or suburbs, highest references. Apply Miss Allwood, G. F. S. Office, 176, Pitt-street.

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A COOK, young, North Shore: Kitchenmaid, Mountains; Laundress, Rose Bay: 10 Generals. 217, Cas'reagh-st.

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A GENERAL SERVANT wanted. Mrs. J. B. Watson, Deloraine, Cheltenham-road, Burwood.

A GENERAL SERVANT and wait at table. After 9 a.m., 13, Dawes Point, city.

A GOOD General SERVANT wanted at Ashley, Stanmore railway station.

A GOOD General SERVANT required. Apply to Mrs. J. C. Neild, Greycairn, Edgecliffe-road.

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A LAD, as FOOTMAN, required. Apply between 10 and 11 o'clock, Jefferies and Co., 109, Pitt-street, city.

A MIDDAY WAITRESS wanted. Apply Emery's Dining Rooms, Brickfield-hill.

A RESPECTABLE LAD required. Apply E. Cantor, Shirtmaker, 91, King-street.

A SERVANT wanted. Apply early, 158, Macquarie-street South.

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AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, young Persons as H. & Barmaids, H'keepers, Cooks, L'dresses, Nurses, &c.

AT Mrs. Perrie's, 168, Castlereagh-st.—Wanted, young Housemaid, Gen., Darling Pt.; Cook, Laundress, country.

AT Carrington Reg., Park-st.—Wanted, 4 Cooks and Laundresses, Gen. Servants, Nur. Housemaid, Pantrymaid.

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A USEFUL GIRL wanted, do light housework, 7s weekly, suburb. Simmonds', 222, Castlereagh-street.

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AT MISS BUTLER'S, 112, Market-street.—Wanted, Barmaid, country; young Cook, town; 2 Housemaids, school, country; Housemaid, hotel, Bowral; F. Cook, Burwood; Cook, boarding-house, 20s; several General Servants.

AT 108, Bathurst-st. G. Institute.—Wanted, M. Couple, gardener and useful, wife C. and L., £80, Burwood; Man, to drive team of horses, station; Boots and Useful, for college (Catholic); Farm Servant, milk, drive.

AT 108, Bathurst-street, G. Institute.—Wanted, exp. Cook, 20s, good country hotel; exp. Waitress, for Bourke, 20s; C. and L., city, 18s; H. P. Maid, hotel, city; several G. Servants; C. L., Stanmore, 16s, Darlinghurst, 16s; Nursery H. Maid, 12s; H. P. Maid, 12s, Elizabeth Bay; G. Servants, 2 family, hotels, city and suburbs; elderly Widow, with a child, or useful boy, W. H'keeper; 1 Man, very comfortable place; G. S., Waverley and Bondi, small families, 12s; Maid and Needlew'man.

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WANTED to Adopt GIRL. Apply Mr. Simmons's Castlereagh-street Registry.

WANTED, a useful GIRL, 14 years, 7s per week, suburbs. Apply Simmons's Registry, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Moeller's Boarding Establishment, Mort's Dry Dock, Balmain.

WANTED, MAN to clear land, wife caretaker, Mountains. Apply W. Fowler, Moonbie-st., Summer Hill.

WANTED, young General SERVANT, no washing, suburbs. 385, Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, General HELP, knowledge of dressmaking, wages 12s. Carlyle, Hurstville Post-office.

WANTED, General SERVANT, aged about 20, nurse kept. Mrs. Owen Blacket, Fairholme, Victoria-st., A'field.

WANTED, a smart HAND, accustomed to wiring soda water. W. S. Galbraith and Co., 78, King-street.

WANTED, a young MAN, to collect and deliver orders. G. Campton, butcher, West-st., North Shore.

WANTED, young Woman as COOK and Laundress, refs., train paid. Mrs. J. B. Jones, Hatherley, Homebush.

WANTED, an experienced Person, for sorting-room. Pyrmont Steam Laundry, Harris-street, Ultimo.

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WANTED, respectable young GIRL, light household duties, 2 in family. Mrs. Taylor, 12, Alberto-ter., Dar.-rd.

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WANTED, a GIRL, 14 or 15, for light housework and mind a little girl. 60, Ultimo-road, off Engine-street.

WANTED, a WAITER, used to restaurant. 157, George-street North.

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WANTED, by Ceylon Tea Co., 354, George-street, two Midday WAITRESSES. Apply 10 a.m.

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WANTED, smart BOY for workrooms. London and American Tailoring Company, Sydney Arcade.

WANTED, a handy MAN, to do up garden. Mrs. Lawler, Merton-street, Petersham.

WANTED, young General SERVANT, two in family, refs. Mrs. Phillips, Opua, Underwood-st., Pd'gtn.

WANTED, a respectable BOY. Apply 13, Royal Arcade, Pitt-street.

WANTED, HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. Apply Wenlock, Rockwall-street, Potts Point.

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WANTED, GIRL to mind baby three hours daily, Moore Park. Mrs. Perrie, 168, Castlereagh-street.

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WANTED, respectable young GIRL, to assist in housework. Royal Standard Hotel, Grafton Wharf.

WANTED, a Man COOK. Gladstone Hotel, Miller's Point.

WANTED, BOY for light work in store. Hodgetts, Young, and Co., 90, Sussex-street.

WANTED, young GIRL, for housework. No. 9, Agar-street, Flagstaff-steps, Kent-street North.

WANTED, an elderly PERSON for house work. Mrs. Robinson, 66, Myrtle-street, Darlington.

WANTED, a General SERVANT; no washing, must be able to cook, sleep at home. 52, Bay-street, Glebe.

WANTED, BOY, for dairy work. Apply 42, Albion-street, between Trafalgar and Nelson streets, Annandale.

WANTED, a respectable young woman as General SERVANT. Mrs. Jacobs, Brighton-street, Petersham.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, to make herself generally useful; good wages, small family. 379, Bourke-st.

WANTED, a WAITRESS. Apply 21, George-street West.

WANTED, 2 Married Couples, man as gardener and under-gardener. Glue's Labour Agency, 44, Hunter-st.

WANTED, Female Cook, for hotel, 25s per week, all other classes. Glue's Labour Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, WAITRESS, for first-class hotel, Newcastle. Glue's Labour Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, small BOY, used to horse. 23, Booth-street, Annandale.

WANTED, little GIRL to mind baby and useful. 24, Surry-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, no washing. 51, Pitt-street, Redfern.

WANTED, Plasterer's Labourer and good Improver, Green's-road, near Paddington Barracks. Apply on job.

WANTED, Plasterer's LABOURER. Apply early, corner Church and Campbell streets, Camperdown.

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WANTED, COOK and Laundress. Lord Carrington Hotel, opposite station, Petersham.

WANTED, a little GIRL, to mind a baby, sleep at home. 159, Paddington-street, Paddington.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL. Berlin House, Point Piper-road, Paddington.

WANTED, a respectable smart GIRL to assist in housework. 6, Niagara-terrace, Green's-road, Paddington.

WANTED, smart midday Waitress; one used to restaurant. Apply No. 2, Sydney Palace Hotel, 233, Geo.-st.

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WANTED, young GIRL to assist in house, sleep at home. Apply 841, George-street.

WANTED, respectable GIRL for housework. 27, Quay-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, a WASHERWOMAN. Apply side door, 63, George-street West.

WANTED, a respectable young Woman as General Servant. Middlesborough Hotel, Raglan Geo. sts., W'trloo.

WANTED, good COOK for 6d restaurant. Apply early, Union Restaurant, 22, Sussex-street North.

WANTED, Washers, Ironers, and Folders at M'Vicar's Steam Laundry and Scouring Works, Bayswater-road.

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